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ROUSTED BY A BARRAGE - A Chechen leaving her wrecked home in Grozny on Tuesday as a new Russian artillery hlitz pummeled the city. Page 2.

For Chechen Civilians, No Haven From Brutality

By Lee Hockstader

Washington Post Service
GROZNY, Russia — There is no apparent strategic or tactical reason why anyone would want to destroy the Home for the Elderly and Disabled in Grozny.

It's a lovely old place with a graceful yellow facade and outdoor gardens, and the only residents are widows in their 70s and 80s who, if they can still walk, spend their days shuffling through the corridors and listening to the war raging around them.

Yet one day last week, the violence that has enveloped Chechnya made a house call. A Russian artillery shell slammed into the home, smashing through a brick wall and reducing the home's pretty little theater to

"We used to have little concerts, movies, singing and dancing, some talks about various topics," said the caretaker, Malika Ptashinskaya, 32, who is virtually the only person still caring for the home's 60 surviving residents. "Now we don't even have heat anymore."

All over Chechnya — in shahhy little villages on the plains, in rugged hamlets in the Caucasus Mountains and in the shell-hlasted capital of Grozny — the Russian military has shattered huildings and lives with the appalling hrutality and randomness of modern warfare.

A visitor to the separatist republic these days finds himself trudging past the rubble of a destroyed orphanage, picking through the scorched remains of an out-

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State of the President: At the Midpoint, a New Humility

By Ruth Marcus Washington Post Service

WASHINGTON — Two years ago, the Clinton administration entered office with an ambitious agenda for changing America, fueled by optimism that the forces of government could be used to achieve that

It wanted to reverse Republican policies on issues from abortion to the environment to gun control; reorient spending to support families and help workers and husiness compete in the global market; reduce the deficit, and reinvent government to make it smaller and more efficient.

Now, at midpoint, the administration has had noteworthy accomplishments in all those areas - though they have been limited by hudget constraints and political realities and eclipsed by its failures, particularly the collapse of the plan to overhaul the nation's health-care system.

As President Bill Clinton prepared to deliver his third State of the Union message on Tuesday night, the buoyant tone of last year's address, with its proud recounting of first-year accomplishments and bold threat to veto any health-care legislation that fell short of guaranteed coverage for

all Americans, seems like an echo from a

In its place is a new humility, full of acknowledgments that government cannot solve every problem even as the president seeks to convince a skeptical public that 'government cannot walk away either."
With Republican control of Congress,

the administration confronts two bleak years in which much of its energy is likely to be devoted to retaining what it has put

Some of its programs, such as reforming government, are in danger of being overtaken by Republican demands for even

greater cuts and changes. Others, such as regulatory initiatives, could be undone by the new Republican majority. And the new programs it has managed to implement could be eliminated or severely cut hack.

"There is clearly a threat to some of the key accomplishments that we achieved over these last two years, and there will be an effort to try to reverse those and the president will fight those efforts," said the White House chief of staff, Leon E. Panet-

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'Separation' Has Become Clarion Call For Israelis

By Clyde Haberman

JERUSALEM - After the devastating suicide bombing that killed 19 Israelis on Sunday, an old word has emerged with new force in Israel's political vocabulary: separation.

ft means that fsraelis and Palestinians should go their different ways, and its leading exponent is Prime Minister Yitz-

Since the latest mass deaths, mostly of young soldiers, he has made "separation" a clarion call and says his government will start as early as next week to figure out how to do it.

He is determined, he says, that people living in Israel proper, his main concern, will no longer be "vulnerable to terror" from the Gaza Strip and West Bank, inhabited by Palestinians.

Some cabinet ministers were already talking Tuesday about huilding a high fence between Israel and the West Bank, to

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be patrolled by a few border guards and

dogs.

Newspapers here were filled with supposedly official estimates of how much it would cost, how long it would take and exactly where it would go, since Mr. Rabin says that there is no way that he will return to the borders that defined the West Bank from before 1967, when Israel captured the territory during the Six Day War.

At the least, he reaffirmed on Monday night in a televised speech intended to rally his demoralized country that Israel will hold onto all of Jerusalem and keep land near the Jordan River as its "security bor-

But beyond that hroad outline, a Rahin spokesman cautioned, there are few clear details because the idea is still in an embryonic stage, far from being ready for mapand hudget-makers.

Still, sences are not an outlandish idea, given that Israel already has them on its borders with Lehanon, Syria, Jordan and Egypt and is finishing a new high-tech model to girdle the Gaza Strip, now under

Palestinian control. The curving border with the West Bank has no real demarcation and it is highly porous, enabling hundreds of Palestinians enter Israeli illegally along back roads.

Most do so only to reach sorely needed

jobs. But a few are out to kill Israelis, more and more by hlowing themselves up in the

name of Islamic radicalism. After a series of suicide bomhings, the one on Sunday was the final straw for many in Israel. They are ready now not just for a separation but for a full divorce.

Of course, that has been the goal all along of the peace deal between Mr. Rahin and Yasser Arafat, which put the Palestine Liberation Organization in charge of Gaza The White House senior adviser, George and Jericho, with promises of much more

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Yeltsin Demotes A Foe of Reform

MOSCOW (WP) — President Boris N. Yeltsin of Russia, in a victory for the reform wing of his government, on Mon-day dismissed his privatization chief, who had alarmed investors with plans to re-nationalize Russian industry.

Mr. Yeltsin had criticized his privati-zation director last week for "inept" statements, but the battle within the Kremlin over Vladimir Polevanov's fate raged for several more days. Free-market advocates inside the gov

ernment celebrated Mr. Yeltsin's decision, which followed months of a general slide away from reform and toward hard-line positions.

"The entire country is not yet a bas-tion of the free market, and this fight will go on for a long time," one go armiest adviser said. "But this represented the strongest challenge yet to privatization, and it was rejected."



A SILVER LINING — Pete Sampras, upset by the hospitalization of his coach and fighting back tears, ultimately won his quarterfinal match in the Australian Open after dropping the first two sets to Jim Courier. Page 19.

Warning Signs on Mexico Couldn't Ward Off Crisis

By David E. Sanger and Anthony DePalma

New York Times Service
WASHINGTON — While the Clinton administration and the Mexican government were saying until late last year that Mexico was a booming example of an emerging market that would bring wealth to workers in both countries, warnings were running rampant in both capitals that severe economic trouble lay ahead.

According to officials in Washington, the Treasury Department told several Mexican officials starting last summer that the country's short-term borrowings had reached a dangerous level and that the peso was being kept artificially high. But on several occasions, officials said, the Mexicans said they were aware of the problem but that nothing could be done until well after the Aug. 21 election that brought Ernesto Zedillo Ponce de León to

In Mexico City, officials acknowledge that they knew the economy was in serious trouble months before the election. But

they say that for political reasons, partly related to the election and partly to the amhitions of the exiting president, Carlos Salinas de Gortari, to head the new World Trade Organization, they chose to continue borrowing and spending at a tremendous pace, sustaining the illusion of a

thriving economy.
Finance Minister Guillermo Ortiz told a hostile meeting of the legislature in Mexico City on Monday that there had been an obvious "yellow light" in Mexico's halance sheets. While the government was to hlame, he said, so was Wall Street, which "endorsed the economic policies and in particular the exchange rate policy of the

Mexican government."

The series of warnings issued from Washington raises a number of questions about what the administration was saying in public about the health of the Mexican economy, signals that were picked up by both American companies and investors.

In November, President Bill Clinton used the Summit of the Americas in Mi-

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Luck-and Money-Played a Role for Quake Victims

- By Nicholas Kristof New York Times Service

ASHIYA. Japan - To prowl the wealthy neighborhoods here in the Beverly Hills of Japan, where \$5 million ranch-style homes peek from behind stone walls, is to see that it was not just luck that determined who lived and died in last week's devastating earthquake. Money also

played a role.

While nature was democratic, in that the temblor rattled rich neighborhoods as well as poor ones, its consequences were not. Frequently, it was the poorer people's homes that collapsed and huried them.

So this week, many poor families are arranging funerals and many rich ones are arranging vacations. Some wealthy people were among the 5,000 who died, of course, but disproportionately it was the poor and elderly

who lost their homes, johs and lives. The earthquake zone includes some of the wealthiest parts of Japan, and this city of Ashiya is famous as a city of Kobe, Ashiya was the setting for the famous novel
"The Makioka Sisters," Junichiro Tanizaki's portrayal of
the life of a wealthy family in the 1930s.
Yet, if the Makioka sisters were around today, they

probably would have come through the earthquake unharmed, just as the Honda family did. Dr. Minoru Honda and his wife, Yoriko, live in a

Tokyo declares Kobe to be a disaster area. Page 6.

spectacular two-story wooden home with a huge garden and duck pond. By and large, the damage to their home is manageable: a shattered beam, a broken second-floor sauna; a toppled bookshelf and an overturned aquarium that left seven tropical fish gasping on the floor.

Dr. Honda, an amiable surgeon who rushed in a hospital after the quake and worked for two days without sleeping to treat the injured, further remedied things hy

going out and huying a motorcycle to get around the terrible traific jams.

"Those things are useless now," he said, pointing to his Porsche Carrera and Mercedes-Benz cars. "But the motorcycle is very nice, except that the roads are humpy."

Mrs. Honda offered coffee in her dining room, serving with German cups and saucers to replace the French ones that had shattered, and noted that some wealthy people had died in the quake, including a friend who was a husinessman and his 25-year-old son.

"But after the quake, it's different for rich people," she added. "The rich have relatives with extra rooms, so they have somewhere to go if they need to. And if they've got money, they can huy anything they need."

Wealthy families like the Hondas seem full of compassion for their less fortunate neighbors in the shelters, and there seems to be relatively little resentment among the

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U.S. to Freeze **Assets Held** By Suspected **Terrorists**

President's Order Aims To Support Israel and Tighten Vise on Iran

By Paul F. Horvitz

WASHINGTON - Fulfilling a promise to help curh terrorism in the Middle East, President Bill Clinton moved Tuesday to prevent suspected terrorists from obtaining financial support through donations and front organizations in the United

An executive order signed by the president seeks to freeze any assets held by a dozen groups and 18 individuals who have been linked to acts of international terrorism, and seeks to prevent them from col-

lecting donations in the United States. Mr. Clinton used his authority to declare "a national emergency with respect to grave acts of violence committed by foreign terrorists to disrupt the Middle

East peace process. He also said he was preparing legislation that would expedite deportation proceed-ings and criminalize domestic conspiracies to commit terrorist acts abroad. The legislation is also expected to implement a recent international agreement to "tag" plastic explosives with chemical agents to

more easily track them. The White House effort is aimed not only at demonstrating further support for Israel at a critical juncture in the Middle East peace process, but also is seen as a tightening of the diplomatic vise on Iran. which U.S. officials believe is a major source of support for terrorism and a major threat to the region if it obtains nuclear weapons.

These two hroad aims are directly linked, in the view of U.S. officials. Secretary of State Warren M. Christo-her has called Iran "the world's most significant sponsor of state terrorism and the most ardent opponent of the Middle East peace process.

At a White House briefing, U.S. officials offered no evidence that the groups or individuals had substantial assets in the United States, and it was unclear whether an extensive fund-raising apparatus was known to exist.

But the Treasury Department informed thousands of hanks on Tuesday of the persons and groups that should not he wired money ahroad. In addition, U.S. officials said they would expand the use of wiretaps and other sophisticated surveillance to pinpoint funding sources, and would ughten visa and passport restric-

The officials provided no concrete examples of transactions they were seeking to halt. Rather, said one, "There is belief that funds are leaving the country in support of terrorist organizations and this will stop and interdict that." Another official remarked: "It is not

merely a question of symbolism, it is a question of good enforcement policy."

The groups cited by the president include such Arab- and Islamic-based organizations as Hamas, Hezbollah, the Palestine Liberation Front, Islamic Jihad, the Islamic Group and two Israel-hased

groups, the Kach movement and Kahane Chai, both linked to the late Jewish militant rahbi Meir Kahane. Among the individuals named by the White House were Georges Habash, leader

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Germany Faces **Uphill Road on** Reunification

By Craig R. Whitney

BONN — Judging by what has happened since reunification in 1990. Germany is likely to be more preoccupied with itself over the next five years than intent on exercising the new economic and political

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might that made its neighbors so uneasy five years ago.

Chancellor Helmut Kohl rammed unification through NATO and the European Community in 1989 and 1990, hrushing aside fears that Europe would be dominat-

ed by a German colossus of 80 million people.

For the time being at least, Mr. Kohl's reassurances about German power have proved depressingly true for his government. Germany's main problem — in the fifth year of reunification — is essentially what it was at the start: How to make one

country out of two separate states. Officials close to Mr. Kohl say that the chancellor was chastened by the apprehension about reunification that was shown by President François Mitterrand of France,

whom he considers a close friend, But it is the unexpected difficulties of reunification that have also chastened Mr. Kohl. His government had to reintroduce a 7.5 percent income tax surcharge this year to help pay for the costs of reunification a tax already so unpopular that the govern-

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By Alan Cowell

New York Times Service

John Paul II's many voyages around the world,

they may discern amnng them some defining

moments: his 1979 appearance in Krakow that

threw down the gauntlet to communism in his

native Poland, nr his 1993 visit to Denver that

conjured a vision of spirituality among the young

nld Pope to shuck off the imagery of a papacy in decline and to project the idea that neither his health nor his age will deter him from injecting

Indeed, Vatican officials seem increasingly to

suggest that as spiritual leader of 980 million

Roman Catholics, and as unchallenged head of the world's nuly major religious body in which

power is so centralized around a single man, the

Pope has come to sense that he is the only person

Who else, Vatican officials like to imply, could

Russian Artillery

Pummels Chechens

Southern Grozny Is Barraged

As Rebels Halt POW Releases

tal. Towns and villages to the east, west and south have re-

Pulitical repercussions continued in rumble through Moscow. Defense Minister Pavel S.

Grachev, giving another sign of top-level dissent over the mili-

tary campaign in the Caucasus republic, said "six or seven"

generals would be dismissed for

But on the eve of parliamen-

tary debate on his performance

that is likely to increase pres-

sure for his dismissal, General

Grachev said he believed Mr.

supports me," he said. "Of

course, it is up to the deputies to

decide whether my work corre-

sponds in my given duties, but there is nothing criminal in my

The State Duma, the lower

house of Parliament, is expect-

ed to discuss General Grachev's

handling of the Chechnya crisis

nn Wednesday. But it has pow-

ers only to urge Mr. Yeltsin, the

commander in chief of the

armed forces, to dismiss him.

The defense minister has

been blamed by many Duma deputies for a series of setbacks

and humiliations at the hands

nf the outgunned and outnum-

bered rebels in Chechnya. Law-

by bombing of civilians in the

ers have also been enraged

(AP, Reuters)

"I consider that the president

Yeltsin would stand by him.

fused to buckle.

disobeying orders.

his moral vision into the world's business.

to fulfill the role of glnhal conscience.

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches

GROZNY, Russia — Russian troops unleashed fierce ar-

tillery harrages Tuesday against

Chechen positions in Grozny.

while Chechnya's president said

no more Russian prisoners of

war would be released until a

Lightly armed Chechen sepa-ratists tried to hold their posi-

tinns with hit-and-run attacks.

hut Russian officials said the

resistance consisted of "small

independent groups of fighters

From their positions near

Grozny's railroad station, the

Russians let loose a barrage on

the southern part of the city

with artillery, mine launchers

chen leader, Dzhokar Dudavev,

said he was in Grozny and de-

scribed the ruined capital as "a

layer cake," with Checben and

trol anything — they have just accumulated in various spots

and are surrounded every-

Mr. Dudayev said that he had beard that his son Avlur

had been killed but that be bad

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have 30,000 innocent victims

among civilians, and I can't

think about Aviur. My heart

goes out in those miserable peo-

ple whom I was not able in

Some Russian POWs have

been returned, but Mr. Duda-

yev said an more should be set

free until a cease-fire is signed.

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There's a war going on," he

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Russian forces overlapping.

In a radio interview, the Che-

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ROME - When people look back on Pope

Muslim republic, Still, after six weeks of fighting, Russians current patchwork system for control only parts of Grozny adoptions to continue, which and the areas north of the capi-

And who else, the Pope himself seems to be saying these days, could after such a moral vision

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on Saturday, "mere technological progress does not satisfy man's inner yearning for truth and

There is, nf course, a certain hubris to all this. But, for believers, that is more than offset by the sense of divine mission.

But his just-completed 63d trip, a 20,800-mile (33,700-kilometer) journey through Asia and the Pacific, may well be viewed as a turning point of a more personal kind: an attempt by the 74-year-nid Pope to shock off the imposers of a nearest of a page 10. "As lung as God permits," he said in Austra-lia, "I must continue to fulfill the ministry of St.

Catholicism as a faith constantly in need of renewal and expansion that its believers should evangelize. It fallows that the Pope himself cannot be exempt, indeed, should personalize the

Certainly, the Pope likes the crowds, works seen as a personal challenge.

politician, and energizes himself from their en-thusiasm. But he undertakes his travels primarily because his vision of the papacy and of Catholi-

faith" who left his native land to spread the faith might almost bave been a reflection of the image

If that was the intention behind the journey through the Philippines, Papua New Guinea,

showed the limits of papal power in a region that is the least Christianized in the world.

Here too, the results were mixed. The physical strain of 11 days crossing time zones and oceans showed the limits of the Pope's stamina. By the time he said his final Mass in Sri Lanka on Saturday be was visibly and audihly weary.

But he completed the journey without mishap. The huge throng that greeted him at the beginning of the trip, in the Philippines, seemed in reinforce him in his view that, with its ideologies fallen and its morality obscured by materialism. the world craves spiritual renewal.

The turnout also was taken as a personal vindication, as evidence that, 17 years into his papacy, John Paul II can still draw his biggest crowd ever, just as skeptics were beginning to

The Pope made clear that, though he walks slowly and with a cane and though his schedule is more limited than it was, his plans for the future are not so cramped. Two new encyclicals — one on the contentious matter of the sanctity of human life - are ready for publication. After Asia and Australia, he plans this year to visit the United States, Belgium, and Africa - making it what his spokesman, in an affirmation of papal resolve, called "the year of the five continents."

WORLD BRIEFS

A Step Closer for U.S. and Vietnam

WASHINGTON (AFP) — The United States and Vietnam could announce as early as Friday the opening of liaison offices in the two countries, a major step toward formal diplomatic ties, a

"I have heard Friday is a possibility," said a State Department official. He added that both sides had agreed to open the offices

but had not finalized how and when to announce the move. The opening of the offices became possible after the two sides initialed an accord in December on the exchange of diplomatic properties seized after the U.S. pullont from Vietnam in 1975.

Arms-Pact Extension Lacks 30 Votes

WASHINGTON (Reuters) — Less than three months before a critical deadline, the United States and its allies are about 30 votes short of the support needed to extend a treaty that many believe is an important curb on the spread of nuclear weapons, a senior U.S.

John Holum, director of the Arms Control and Disarmament nfficial said Tuesday. Agency, said that despite this, Washington was not exerting any special pressure on Israel — the key U.S. ally in the Middle East - to join the Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty. Mr. Holum told reporters that there was "some anxiety" within the Clinton administration at not being able to identify a solid majority of 85 countries that would vote in extend the treaty indefinitely at a meeting set for April.

But he nevertheless expressed confidence that the allies would "have the number at hand" when needed. Mr. Holum also said the prospects for Senate ratification of the START-2 treaty this year were "quite good." Hearings are to begin in the Senate next week

Berlusconi Presses for New Elections

ROME (AP) — Keeping up pressure for quick elections, former Prime Minister Silvio Berlusconi said Tuesday that his party would not block the new government but would never forget that

the ballot box awaits.

Mr. Berlusconi said his Forza Italia party would abstain in a confidence motion, expected Wednesday, on the government headed by Lamberto Dini.

"It's a 'yes' with reserve," Mr. Berlusconi said in a 20-minute speech to Parliament in which he sharply denounced his former government ally, the Northern League. The media magnate says voters would back him and his conservative allies in new elections.

Bosnia Talks Open as Battles Rage

SARAIEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — The United States and its allies on Tuesday began a new round of peace negotiations in Bosnia as heavy fighting persisted in the northwest, where rebel Muslims and Serbs have continued to battle forces loyal to Bosnia's Muslim-led government.

About 500 detonations were reported in a 24-hour period near Velika Kladusa, a town near the Croatian border that has been the scene of fighting despite a nationwide truce that took effect Jan. 1. In Sarajevo, envoys from the five nations that drew up an international peace plan for Bosnia — the United States, Russia, France, Germany and Britain — met Tuesday with Bosnian government afficials. In Zagreb, the Croatian capital, Bosnian and Croatian leaders met to strengthen military cooperation between Muslims and Croats in Bosnia.

Paris Socialist Resigns in Party Feud

PARIS (Reuters) - Feuding in France's opposition Socialist Party deepened on Tuesday when the party's No. 2 leader resigned her position in protest over the bitter battle to choose a presidential candidate.

Segolene Royal said she was leaving the chairmanship of the Socialist National Council and urged grass-roots activists to "stay nut of of these fatal quarrels." Party members are due to vote Feb. 3 to choose a candidate from among three contenders: the party's leader, Henri Emmanuelli; the former leader, Lionel Jospin; and the former culture minister, Jack Lang.

Opinion polls suggest that no Socialist has a chance of beating

Prime Minister Edouard Balladur in the spring presidential election since the former European Commission president, Jacques Delors, decided not to run in December.

Indian Police Arrest Militant Hindus

BANGALORE, India (AFP) - Indian police arrested more than 200 Hindu hard-liners in southern India on Tuesday in an attempt to prevent a march an a Muslim seminary, the police said. The activists of the Bharatiya Janata Party were arrested in the state of Karnataka, where the authorities imposed a ban or processions and public meetings. The party has vowed in unfurling national flag Thursday, India's Republic Day, nn a site in the town of Hubli that was leased by the state government to a

Muslim religious group in 1930 for 999 years. In Bangalore, 50 party workers, including 21 state lawmakers, were arrested as they set off for Hubli, about 400 kilometers (250 miles) northwest of Karnataka's capital.

For the Record

Thousands of people in the Basque country and other parts of Spain stopped work to abserve five minutes of silence at midday Tuesday to protest the killing of a politician by a Basque separatist gunman. Gregorio Ordoñez, recently nominated as the Popular Party's candidate for mayor of San Sebastián, was shot in the head Monday in a bar in the old quarter of the city.

TRAVEL UPDATE

Tourism Industry to Double by 2005

MADRID (Reuters) - The worldwide tourist industry should double in size in dollar terms over the next 10 years and by 2010 nearly I billion people a year will be making international trips, a tourism nfficial said Tuesday.

This will bring wealth and jobs, but also pose a potential danger

to the environment and to local cultures in prime holiday destina-tions, said Geoffrey Lipman, president of the World Travel and Tourism Council. Tourists should generate \$7.2 trillion by 2005, compared with \$3.4 trillion this year.

"Travel and tourism creates a new job every 2.5 seconds and generates investment of \$3.2 hillion a day," he told a seminar hosted by the Madrid-based Wurld Tourism Organization. The organization estimates that by 2010 there will be 937 million

tourists traveling the world, compared with 528 million last year. The parking garage at Bangkok's airport has nearly four times the acceptable level of carbon monoxide. That officials said. They warned travelers to use the garage as little as possible. (AP)

Tourists have returned to Haiti more than three years after a military coup. Royal Caribbean Cruise Line, the U.S.-Norwegian tour operator, hrought 2,500 vacationers Monday for a brief stopover at the Labadie Peninsula on Haiti's north coast. (AFP)

cials, including the general manager of the national airline Air Aigerie and the head of the border police, over the hijacking of an Air France airliner by Muslim fundamentalists in De-

services and customs. The incident involved four

before forcing the crew to fly to Marseille, France, where French commandos stormed the plane and killed the four gunmen nn Dec. 26. The radical Islamic Army

John Paul as Evangelist: Revitalizing His Moral Vision command the attention and presence of 4 million them with a skill worthy of the most cunning people, as the Pope did in Manila a week ago? politician, and energizes himself from their en-

in an era when, as he said in Columbo, Sri Lanka,

Peter: in profess that Jesus Christ is the Messiah and the Lord and to confirm my brothers and sisters in that faith." It is inherent in the Pope's conception of

cism leaves no room for staying home.

When he beatified Joseph Vaz, an 18th-century missionary in Sri Lanka, the Polish pontilf's description of the priest as a man on fire with

John Paul II wishes to bequeath to history.

"Everynne who has received the faith," he said, "is called to share that gift with nihers." Australia and Sri Lanka, the results were mixed. The refusal of Buddhist monks to meet him

The voyage took on particular overtones when John Paul fell in his bathroom in the Vatican last April, hroke his leg, and underwent hip-replacement surgery from which he has yet to fully recover. The accident forced cancellation of a visit to Belgium, and in October he put off a visit

to the United States. His Asian tour came to be

Mood Dives In a Camp For Cubans

By Eric Schmitt'

WASHINGTON — Cuhan refugees at a U.S. operated camp in Panama, frustrated by their inability to gain admission to the United States, have been attempting suicide in increasing numbers, causing rising con-

cern among military officials.

The officials said that, in the last six weeks, 31 Cubans had tried unsuccessfully to hang themselves or overdose on prescripting drugs. The figure equals the number of refugees who tried to harm themselves in the first three months after the establishment of the Panama refugee camp last September.

The United States bulds about 7.600 Cubans in a camp run by the U.S. military near the Panama Canal. The refugees were part of the boat exodus of people from the Commu-

nist-ruled nation last summer. Military authorities said that some of the 31 had despaired of their chances of going to the United States, and others hoped that taking drastic measures would somehow result in a transfer. None bad injuries serious enough to require evacuatinn to the United States.

"There's been an increase in people demonstrating their frustratinn by suicide of self-injury gestures," said Brigadier General James Wilson of the Army, commander of the Panama camp. "Those we've evaluffners in kill them selves are relatively small, but it's still a concern to us."

Most of the suicide attempts have been by single men aged 16 to 30 who have no relatives in the camps or in the United States and so have little chance

of making it to the United States legally under current Clinton administration policy. "We really don't bave a way yet of offering hope to these single males without families,

a State Department official said. "We can't offer them access to the U.S. That would undn all the steps to discourage migration from Cuba."

British government officials

was separate from the Locker-

hie bombing Moreover, they said, the files indicated that the

information about the cleric

was second or third hand.

Yeltsin Vetoes Tougher Adoption Law

said. "We're not a peace organi-President Boris N. Yeltsin critics charged would have sent thousands of Russian made it extremely difficult for troops into Chechnya on Dec. foreigners to adopt Russian 11 to put down the indepen-children, and Parliament has

dence movement in the mostly

will anger Russian adoption of about 2,000 children from the their homeland by high-paying Embassy in Moscow.

ing to adopt babies overseas. In

HOLOCAUST RECALLED - Workers at the main gate of the Auschwitz concen-

ceremonies Thursday and Friday for the 50th anniversary of the camp's liberation.

tration camp, under the Nazi slogan "Work Makes You Free,"

ficials and ntber who have former Soviet Union - many charged that too many Russian of them Russian - applied for babies are being taken out nf U.S. visas according to the U.S.

nverride Mr. Yeltsin's veto of late December but fell sbort. The new law would have given the Educatino Ministry in

Moscow control of the adoption process, which currently is left up to individual orphan-

making lower house of Parlia-ment, attempted no Friday to and others who have turned in increasing numbers in Russia is now the most popular country for Americans seek-By Margaret Shapiro

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LONDON — British officials on Tuesday dismissed a report linking Iran instead of mat had paid \$10 million for a linking to the 1082 hombins of a susceptible represent evidence. It's something we were aware of." He added: "It's not new and it was Libya to the 1988 bombing of a guerrilla group to destroy the deemed not worthy of serious Pan Am jet over Scotland that airliner over the Scotlish village examination." killed 270 people.

A Scottish newspaper, the

of Lockerbie.

But a British government of-

In this Thursday's HEALTH/SCIENCE



Washington law firm in November after a four-year battle. said on Tuesday, however, that the files dealt with an issue that

Britain and the United States have consistently hlamed Libya for the Lockerhie bomhing, and in 199t issued arrest warrants for two Lihyan agents. The Daily Record quoted the

files as saying the attack had been financed by a senior Islamic cleric as revenge for the downing of an Iranian passenger jet by the U.S. warship Vincennes in July 1988.

Saying Britain had investigated Iran's possible involvement in the bombing, the officials said they remained convinced of the strength of the case against the Libyans.

RUSSIA: No Haven for Civilians Chechen-held side of town. In door market and negntiating

It is a war with few purely military targets and virtually no safe quarter.

the dank interior of a hospital

that has been raked by shrap-

Far from the ground lighting. Russian rockets and mortar rounds have rained down on dingy apartment buildings and ramshackle bnuses that had the misfortune to be tocated on the

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the countryside, Russian troops have machine-gunned cows as they grazed in pastures. Russian armored personnel

carriers have fired on refugees with cannons as they fled the fighting along roads designated as safe routes, then rolled over their cars, crushing them beneath their treads. Russian warplanes have rocketed quiet intersections and fresh-water springs in Grozny, cutting civilians to shreds even where there were no Chechen fighters in the immediate vicinity.

Again and again, Chechen and ethnic Russian civilians whose homes have been blown away or burned in the Russian assault rush up tn visitors, demanding to know why such calamity has befallen them, as if only an outsider could explain so alien an event.

Algeria Dismisses 6 Aides Over Air France Hijacking

A government statement on Algerian radin said an initial inquiry had found "serious professional faults" by the six officials, who also included the Algiers airport police commander, the civil aviation general manager, and the heads of airport

gunmen who, disguised as air- hijackers.

TUNIS — Algeria on Tues-day dismissed six seninr offied to be flown to France. The gunmen killed three passengers and held more than 170 people hostage on board for two days

> Group has claimed responsibil ity for the hijacking and for the killing, on Dec. 27, of four Catholic priests in the eastern Algerian town of Tizi Ouzou. The group said the priests were slain to averge the death of the

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$Sniping A side, Both \ Parties \ Support \ Mexico \ Rescue$

By Kevin Merida and Helen Dewar Bashington Pest Service

WASHINGTON - Although lawmakers in both parties continue to question the politics and substance of President Bill Clinton's economic rescue package for Mexico, both the White House and Newt Gingrich. the House speaker, predict that a proposal with hipar-tisan support will be brought to a vote soon.

As talks continued on Mr. Clinton's plan for U.S. loan guarantees for Mexico, some House Democrais privately complained that the administration was listening mainly to House Republicans and was not sufficiently committed to resolving Democratic concerns about labor issues.

In the Senate, conservative Republicans said the administration had not satisfactorily addressed their

Under the Clinton proposal, the U.S. government forge a consensus on the bailout. would provide guarantees so the Mexican government can borrow up to \$40 billion from private investors.

primarily to support its sagging currency.
U.S. taxpayers would not lose any money unless Mexico defaulted, and the White House was promising that the package would include stiff conditions to

prevent that from happening.

"The administration needs to get its act together on this one — both politically and substantively — before it's too late," said Representative William B. Richardson, Democrat of New Mexico, a supporter of the loan guarantees. "Those of us who want to help don't seem to be consulted."

Clearly, there are a lot of concerns about the administration's plan that would have to be laid to

Utah, a key player in Senate Republican efforts to

Still, Mr. Gingrich, Republican of Georgia, said Monday he was confident that a bipartisan agreement would be hrought to a vote — possibly as early as Friday or Monday. Other negotiators were less hopeful about that timetable.

'I don't think whether it is Friday or next Monday the critical issue," Mr. Gingrich said, "I think knowing that we are committed to bringing up a bipartisan agreement and trying to pass it on a bipartioun hasis sends the key signal to money markets.

At the White House, officials expressed confidence that negotiations would produce legislation that can pass by the end of the week. The White House spokes-man, Michael McCurry, said the past three days had produced progress in achieving consensus.



The New Team Has TV in a Tizzy WASHINGTON -- Televising the revolution, it turns out, is a difficult task.

As the Republicans have seized control of Congress for the first time in 40 years, the network evening newscasts have tried to follow the action on a dizzying array of domestic issues. But for a medium that has long trained its lens on the president as the nation's newsmaker-in-chief, covering 535 contentious law-... makers has produced, at best, a series of hlurry snap-

With few exceptions, the newscasts have focused on flaps, disputes, political maneuvering and fingerpointing. On many exenings over the past three weeks, viewers learned little about the halanced budget amendment or welfare reform, with most reports huilt

around dueling sound bites from party leaders.
"I'm very frustrated," said Boh Schieffer, CBS's chief Washington correspondent, "There's so much going on that you're trying to cover everything and you're not up to speed on anything. Just when I get ready to do a story on the Mexican peso, which I think we haven't done enough on, something pops up with

Despite the traditional conservative lament that the networks tilt to the left, the recent coverage seems to reflect not so much ideology as a bias toward conflict. Republicans, echoing complaints by the Clinton White House, say their talk of abolishing the minimum wage or federal support for public television has

both sides. The "childishness" of Congress, he says, "fits perfectly into the childishness of network TV."

Cuomo to Target 'Plastic Populism'

NEW YORK - Conservative books are hot, pubshers say. Liberal ones are not. But never mind that. Former Governor Mario M. Cuomo of New York. whose liberal polities were soundly voted down in November, has decided to weigh in anyway. His proposed book theme; "progressive pragmatism."

In a letter now being shopped around New York's publishing houses by his agent. Mr. Cuomo promises a fresh rehuttal to what he calls "Gingrichism" and the "Newt world order." Publishing executives say Mr. Cuomo is asking for a seven-figure advance. The book, he writes, "will say to America - we can

do better than the plastic populism that convinced voters in 1994 their anger had produced an intelligent plan for the nation's future." 'And then." he goes on, "it will describe something

Mr. Cuomo said he had discussed the book idea ith at least two publishers. The letter, to Jim Griffin. his agent at William Morris, was his first effort at putting the idea on paper, he said.

A \$50,000 Tab to Dine With Gingrich

WASHINGTON - Newt Gingrich on Tuesday A Republican strategist, William Kristol, faults raise money for a conservative-backed television net-

work, saying it was better to help a private cause than tax Americans to pay for public broadcasting.

The House speaker said he was attending the fund-

raiser for the National Empowerment Television net-work because "I believe in it as a cause." The Chicago Trihune reported that Michael and Arianna Hullington, millionaire California Republicans, are serving as hosts for about a dozen dinner guests on Feb. 7 in Washington. Unlike fund-raising dinners for politicians, the contributions will be tax-

deductible because National Empowerment Televis sion is a not-for-profit organization, the Trihune said. "The average American, I suspect, would rather have private charities and private organizations to get a tax deduction," Mr. Gingrich said, "That is, they prefer the Salvation Army to having their taxes raised to pay for another hureaueracy." Regarding the price per plate, he noted that President Bill Clinton had attended a Democratic National Committee cocktail fund-raiser where guests where charged a similar

Mr. Gingrich's program, "Progress Report," appears on National Empowerment Television. The channel also promotes Mr. Gingrich's 10-volume Jecture series, which can be ordered for \$229.95. (AP)

Quote/Unquote

Representative Barney Frank, Democrat of Massachusetts, on complaints by Mr. Gingrich of unfair treatment and excessive criticism: "The hypocrisy is defended his plan to star at a \$50,000-a-plate dinner to just mind-numbing. He really invented politics this



A DOG'S LIFE — Unabala, a sled dog in training, vawning out the porthole of a kennel in Flagstaff, Arizona. Dogsled races are to be held in the area this weekend.

AMERICAN TOPICS

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24 Signs of the Times: Estimate To Rename Street Hits \$900,000

Renaming a San Francisco street for the labor organizer Cesar Chavez was a popular idea until state and federal transportation officials gave the city their estimate:

The city was thinking more like \$20,000, which is how much was budgeted to rename Army Street. The problem is that Army Street runs under a state highway and an interstate. The change would affect 24 signs, and 15 would have to be replaced to accommodate the longer name of Cesar Chavez Street. That means bigger support beams and more light-

Susan Leal, the city supervisor who co-sponsored the name change, said she had never intended to spend that much money. "We're going to try and work with the fedsand the Department of Transportation to get

the costs down, but if we can't . . . well, we'll just have to see what can be done," she said. Mayor Frank Jordan has indicated he will not spend more than the bud

Prematurely gray bair may be an indicator for osteoporosis, the dehilitating bone disease that afflicts an estimated 1 of every 10 people in the United States, particularly older women, The Washington Post reports. A study sponsored by the National Institutes of Health of 63 people aged 40 to 70 found that those whose hair was more than 50 percent gray by age 40 were more than four times as likely to have weakening bones as those whose hair turned gray at a later age. The prematurely gray also had stronger family histories of osteoporosis. The connection between the two is unclear, however.

Researchers at Esquire magazine timed the conversations between talk-show hosts and guests and found that: Larry King lets his guests outtalk him three minutes to one minute. Oprah Winfrey lets her guests talk lor twice the length that she does, and Phil Donahue talks seven minutes for every three taken up by a guest. Jay Leno lets his guests outtalk him three minutes to two, and David Letterman usually talks three minutes to the guest's

When Eli Broad, a Los Angeles art collector, flew to New York and paid \$2.5 million for Roy Lichtenstein's 1965-66 pop-art painting "1 ... I'm Sorry" at a Sotheby's auction, he paid by credit card, The New York Times reports. Sotheby's now accepts American Express cards at 14 sales outlets. Its rival auction house, Christie's, does not accept credit cards The purchase entitled Mr. Broad to 2.5 million membership miles on participating air-

International Herald Tribune

Report Closes Case on Bank's Secret Iraq Arms Loans their activities after Saddam P. Drogoul, acknowledged that charged Mr. Drogoul and five the work of five hankers in a

WASHINGTON - A Clin-

ton administration report on allegations that U.S. officials illethe final chapter concerning a set of accusations more than 4 years old that involved the Italian government, the Bush administration and an obscure Atlanta office that served as a branch of Italy's quasi-national

have confirmed.

Away From Politics

The recent heavy rains and flooding in Cali-

fornia and the unscasonably warm weather in

the northeastern United States reflect the effect of the climatic effect called El Niño.

which is gaining strength, NASA scientists

A Maine judge has ruled that the state

cannot impose a 6 percent tax on Girl Scout cookies. He also chastised state officials for

applying the tax to the cookies, which are sold

to raise funds for scouting activities. (AP)

judge in the Los Angeles murder trial of Lyle

and Erik Menendez has decided to push back

the starting date to June 12. The retrial had

been set for March 13, but Superior Court Judge Stanley M. Weisberg ruled that defense

• Over the prosecution's objections, the

Hussein invaded Kuwail in Au-

The lengthy study, commisgally armed Iraq appears to be sioned by Attorney General Janel Reno, said no one deserved to be prosecuted beyond a small handful of bankers in Atlanta who secretly helped finance Iraqi arms purchases and who have already been convicted.

At the heart of the story was the conviction of the manager In the report, Justice Depart- of the Allanta branch of the ment lawyers said that they bad Banca Nazionale del Lavoro on found no evidence to support making more than \$5 hillion in allegations that aides to Presi- secret, unsecured loans to Iraq deni George Bush had secretly for an arms buildup. The

(Reuters)

lawyers were entitled to more time to prepare. section and died 15 days later.

which were accounted for in a secret set of books.

But Mr. Drogoul insisted that he had processed the loans with the full knowledge of his superiors in Rome, who had cies, an effort that shattered dent. with the invasion of Kuwait.

The hrothers are charged with first-degree

murder in the 1989 shotgun slayings of their

A Clearwater, Florida, judge has ordered a manslaughter trial for a woman accused of

shooting herself in the abdomen because she

could not afford an abortion. A separate

murder charge filed agains! Kawana Ashley has been dropped because Circuit Judge

Brandt Downey said it was not clear whether

the charge was appropriate. Ms. Ashley was

six months pregnant when she was turned away from an abortion clinic, authorities said.

Later, the unemployed St. Petersburg woman

reportedly told a friend that she would have to shoot herself in the belly. In March 1994,

she did. Her baby was delivered by Caesarean

wealthy parents.

The Justice Department dur-

cials in Rome. But at a tumultuous hearing in September 1992 before a fed-

branch with defrauding the par-

ent bank by making the loans without the knowledge of offi-

told him they agreed to help eral District Court judge. Mar-Iraq as a service to Mr. Bush. vin H. Shoob, it was disclosed Under this scenario, the Bush that the CIA had concluded administration was trying to that the hank's managers in win favor with Mr. Saddam in Rome were fully aware of the hopes of moderating his poli-

Judge Shoob expressed sharp skepticism that the scheme to ber of the conspiracy that large

he had arranged for the loans, of his associates in the hank small hranch office in Atlanta. In Monday's report, John M. Hogan, a Justice Department lawyer appointed by Ms. Reno

to look into the matter, con-

cluded, "We did not find evi-

dence that U.S. agencies or officials illegally armed Iraq." In the report; Mr. Hogan said he believed that there had been no conspiracy to conceal the Atlanta branch's loans because "a conspiracy of that magnitude would have involved hundreds of people." He added, "In my judgment, at least one mem-

armed Iraq and covered up branch manager. Christopher ing the Bush administration funnel money to Iraq was solely would have revealed it by now.

By Katharine Q. Seelye New York Timer Sernce

WASHINGTON — He was a rabid segregationist, blocking civil rights legislation at every turn. He was a Democrat, but was disowned by his own party. Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., the former speaker, called him "an ultraconservative who was no more a Democrat than the man in the moon."

Buried by the Democrats, the late Howard W. Smith has now been resurrected by the Republicans. A stately if faded oil por-

hauled out of storage to grace the hearing room of the House Rules Committee, where was chairman from 1955 to 1966.

walls. The new chairman, Representative Gerald B. H. Solomon of New York, ordered that Mr. Smith's portrait replace that of a longtime Democratic heroc Claude Pepper of Florida.

The new that a portrait of a man who "was probably the most significant obstacle" to civil rights legislation.

In his letter, Mr. Moakley wrote that Mr. Smith once justilied slavery on the ground that

Democrats are appalled. One of them, John J. Moakley of Massachusetts, the panel's previous chairman, has urged that the Smith portrait be sent back trait of the Virginian has been to oblivion.

rageous to remove a picture of members of Congress, a friend Committee chairmen can decide whose portraits adorn their and replace it with a portrait of most significant obstacle" to tactics earned his powerful

> lied slavery on the ground that "the Romans and Egyptians had used slaves to develop incomparable civilizations."

He added that Mr. Smith

"one of the most benevolent who had equal intelligence and servative who believed in states members of Congress, a friend education and social attain-rights and opposed the growth South. Mr. Smith's obstructionist

> committee the title of "the graveyard of good legislation." While acknowledging that Mr. Smith had "flaws and blind spots," Mr. Solomon has firmly refused to remove the portrait.
> In a letter to Mr. Moakley,

once said that "the Southern disagreed with Mr. Smith's main bare."

education and social attain-ments as the white people of the of the lederal government."

its past by removing pictures, Mr. Solomon added. For example, Republicans have not sought to remove the portrait of Jim Wright, a Democrat and House speaker, who left office under an ethical cloud.

"If we wait to adorn our walls Mr. Solomon suggested that only with angels," Mr. Solomon while even some Republicans concluded, "our walls will re-

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No Military Solution

The Israeli government faces a daunting challenge to protect its people from zealots willing to die in misguided service to a cause, like the Islamic Holy War terrorists whose bombs killed 18 fsraeli soldiers and ooe civilian at a hus stop on Sunday. Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin now faces an almost equally difficult challeoge - keeping peace talks with the Palesune Liberation Organization on track after the fifth major bombing in less than a year by Islamic radicals determined in destroy the negotiations, the PLO and Israeli morale.

To Mr. Rahin's credit, he has reaffirmed his commitment to peace diplomacy, rejecting the arguments both of right-wingers who never believed in peace with the Palestinians and of doves like President Ezer Weizman who now question whether such "a bloody pro-

cess" can ever lead to peace.

The worst response would be in surrender to the cruel logic of the terrorists. lumping all Israelis into ooe camp and all Palestinians into another. Israelis must

make clear distinctions between Palestinian groups that endorse terror and those that denounce it; between those who will comprimise for peace and those who will oot. This means distinguishing between terrorists of Islamic Holy War and a PLO that has forsworn terrorism and is trying to learn the art of civil administration.

Israel has a right to demand that the PLO do all it can to stop terrorists operating out of Gaza and Jericho. But the Israelis themselves have been unable to eliminate fslamic terrorism in fsraelicontrolled terrorities. Even a full peace agreement will not bring immediate peace, although it could begin to drain

There can be no military solution to the issues dividing Israelis and Palestinians. Recognizing this, Israel and the PLO reached a compromise that can ben-efit both sides. Mr. Rahin and Yasser Arafat now have a compelling interest in nnt letting terrorists who reject all compromise destroy that deal.

the recruiting grounds for terrorists.

- THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Sensible About Korea

The Republicans, beginning their par-ty's congressional critique of the North Korea nuclear pact, are taking a hard hut responsible approach. They are pointing up the agreement's substantial shortcomings. But they are so far accepting that the costs of derailing (by not funding) the agreement are unacceptably high.

The agreement sets the United States. with its allies and the international institutions, oo a path to freezing, opening and then reversing and huying out North Korea's nuclear bomb program. The trouble is, the North Koreans, apparently wanting to preserve a bidden-bomh option to the end, would not allow this process of discovery and renewal to go ahead with the speed, completeness and clarity that Washington rightly sought. This is what inquiring Republican legislators, and not only they, oow find defec-

tive about the agreement. ft helps you understand why the Bush administration, distracted anyway, preferred not to take the risks of making an imperfect agreement. Unfortunately, it did not have much of a substitute policy. In effect, it decided to let the Korean program ruo unchecked. The Clinton administration might similarly have shied away but, inheriting a North Korean program several years more advaoced and running free, it necessarily

felt more urgency. Its first line of policy, to tighten economic sanctions, stirred tensions without winning the requisite allied support. Its second line of policy, precipitated by Jimmy Carter's persocal diplomacy, was to negotiate the best agreement it could.

Whether Republicans could have oegotiated a better agreement is a fair questioo. The inquiring senators seemed to think so; they were not inhibited hy the fact that their own party had missed its chance. In any event, the Clinton administratioo, said Seoator John McCaio, "put us in a box ... If we refuse to fund [the accord], we can be accused of hreaking it," Said Senator Frank Murkowski: "The president made commitments. I don't believe we should

renege on those commitments." It remains to note that, despite the shortcomings confirmed by the secators, the agreement keeps Pyoogyang oo a short leash, ft gets nothing from Washington — in fuel oil now, in new safe nuclear plant later and overall in international respectability - without yielding up its bomb-making potential step hy inspected step. The agreement does not ensure that North Korea's bomb program will end. It does provide that North Korea will not profit unless it does.

-THE WASHINGTON POST.

STOCKHOLM — Reactions to the tragic events unfolding in the Russian republic of Chechnya are an important demonstration of changes evolving in the basic principles of international relations. The old pillars of sovereignty and noninterference in internal affairs are slowly giving way to a more flexible system, based on concern as much for the security

of people as for the security of states. This is overdue, and welcome as a sign that the international community is taking odvantage of the opportunities for change offered by the end of the Cold War.

ft is in the hopes for this new era rather than as a reversion to the tensions of the Cold War that the international concerns about Chechnya are rightly heing expressed. Certainly, there is no serious suggestion that secessionist aims should succeed in this fashion.

The world's responses in Haiti, Rwanda and Somalia have been markers oo our progress toward defining new principles for international action based on concerns for the security of people. Tragically, we were less prepared when the hreakup of the former Yugoslavia began in 1991 and must continue to live with the consequences of our failure to act effectively before that conflict became entrenched

The principle of nonintervention in the domestic affairs of states should not be taken lightly. But it is essential to assert the rights and interests of the interna-

By Ingvar Carlsson

The writer is prime minister of Sweden and co-chairman of the Commission on Global Governance. The 28-member commission was established in 1992, of the instigation of former West German Chancellor Willy Brandt, to recommend ways by which world security and governance could be improved.

tional community in situations within states in which the security of people is extensively endangered.

On Thursday in Davos, Switzerland. Shridath Ramphal and I will present the United Nations secretary-general with the report of the Commission on Global Governance, which we have co-chaired for the past two years. The report, "Our Global Neighborhood," deals extensively with security in all its dimensions.

In the report, we propose an amend-ment to the UN Charter, rather than allowing basic principles of international relations to be decided arbitrarily in respoose to crises, or to be defined by pressure from a major power or group of states with particular interests in certain cases. Such an ameodment would permit international action in cases which, in the judgment of the Security Council, constitute such a gross violation of the security of people that an international response required oo humanitarian grounds. This is one move worth making, but I

to attempt piecemeal amendments or reforms. The various issues involved in global governance - which we define broadly as the management of our common global interests, including of course security concerns — are increasingly connected and interdependent, whether they involve military security, ecocomic issues or the environment. These connections are central to any effective effort to recognize tensions and provide solutions

before they erupt into conflict. Most major crises have a variety of root causes, ignored or exacerbated by successive, usually undemocratic regimes. When they flare into conflict it is usually under the banner of secession.

But recourse to the old right of selfdetermination does not provide a solu-tion. Self-determination is another basic principle of international affairs which needs adjustment if we are to avoid widescale territorial dismemberment, not least across the former Soviet Union. Once again, the concept of "security of people" is central, with governments needing to be sensitive to the aspirations of ethnic or other groups that feel alien-ated or threatened. There are governments which have found ways to make diversity a source of enrichment rather than a cause for division.

Intervention has many faces. It must oot he misunderstood to mean, in every

The World Needs a Humanitarian Right to Intervene case, the despatch of troops or military invasions. This remains the last resort. We recommend strongly that the international community improve its capacity to identify, anticipate and resolve conflicts before they become armed confronta-tions. Our ability and willingness to act is Not Eve

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sharply reduced once fighting breaks out. In a new framework for security, there oceds to both international and bilateral assistance available to address the root causes of conflict, whether ethnic tension is exacerbated by uneven or unjust ecocomic development or by more obvious forms of discrimination.

The UN secretary-general aiready has the authority to despatch fact-finding and investigative missions. In this increasingly interdependent world, it is clear that what were once 'internal affairs" now affect us all, and we would urge that greater use be made of this and other forms of preventive diplomacy.

At the same time, member states of the United Nations need to support early warning and preventive efforts by mak-ing available information they bave gathered which could assist the secretarygeneral and the Security Council in defusing potential conflicts. It is too late now for Chechnya, Rwanda and Bosnia, but it need not be too late for the millions of people who live across other ethnic, religious or ecocomic fault lines. International Herald Tribune.

Tell Israelis Where They're Heading and How They Get There Alive

By A. M. Rosenthal

N EW YORK — The president of Israel, a pioneer air force general who became part of the movement for peace with the Palestinians, looked at the Israelis left dead after Sunday's terrorist massacre, visited the wounded and then said what he felt had to be said at last.

The time had come, Ezer Weizman said to suspend the talks with the Palestinians, for the Labor government and the Likud opposition to get together — and, most important of all, for Israel to "rethink which way we are going."

"We signed an agreement that does oot work," he said. And: Right now it is a bloody process, and with bloody processes we don't achieve peace. Taken all together, the presi-

dent was saying what mourners at the massacre site were shouting: "How long will this go on?"
Under Israeli law, Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin does not have to

obey the president and suspend the talks. But that is not the central issue compared with what Mr. Rahin faces now. He has to convince the Israelis that if an agreement with Yasser Arafat is ever reached and the West Bank is turned over to the Palestine Liberation Organization, there will be less terrorism and guerrilla warfare, not more.

So far, Mr. Rabin and Foreign Minister Shimon Peres have followed every attack against Israel with a statement that extremist Palestinians will oot be allowed to stop the peace process. Both speak as if the terrorists were somehow separate and outside a Palestinian community determined to make peace with Israel.

But more Israelis, probably now a majority, have come to believe that the terrorists are not separate from the process but very much a part of it - as storms, not just

sunshine, are part of the weather. On their television sets Sunday, Israelis could see Palestinians kiss the photographs of the two Islamic Jihad bombers who had carried

out the massacre that day. The 1993 Osln agreement for talks between Israel and the PLO had henefits for both. For Mr. Arafat: He forced fsrael to recognize Palestinian national ideotity. For Israel: Israelis can now deal directly with a number of Muslim countries. That is important, but not as essential to Israelis as being able to live without fear that they will he blown to hits.

Mr. Rabin must know this. The polls tell him so. He must also know that the Oslo agreement had two flaws that are leading to a dead end. One was the assumption that Mr. Arafat would or could control the Holy War wing of the Palestinian

wipe out the death-to-Israel provisions of the PLO coveoant.

The second flaw of Oslo was that it started a peace process without specific goals for the Israelis. Palestinians know what they expect from the agreement: independence. But Israelis have never been told how much land they would have to surrender and in return for exactly what, except the promise of peace that Mr. Arafat cannot guarantee.

The Labor government is not only the beneficiary of Oslo hut also its prisocer. That is the mean-

ing of what Mr. Weizman said.
Mr. Rabin has two choices, He can stand pat. That could very well make Benjamin Netanyahu the next prime minister. If Mr. Netanyahu does become prime minister, he may suspend the current talks but will try to avoid canceling the peace negonations. The opening to the Arabs is too important to

throw away casually. But he will say what Israel would give for peace and under what conditions, and what it will not give. He will insist oo the Israeli right of pursuit against terrorists, into Gaza and the West Bank. If a Likud prime ministership

does not appeal to Mr. Rabin, he will have to take the other options Listen hard to Mr. Weizman and Israelis who agree with him. To put it more plainly, Mr.

Rahin can decide himself that mdeed this cannot go oo, this chainof terrorist murders. He can give Israelis a clear idea of the future, what land they will be left with. And he can tell them how be

plans then to do what the Israeli government cannot do now. protect the safety of Israelis from terrorist massacres as they ride the hus in Tel Aviv, sit in a cafe in Jerusalem or have a bite at a snack bar io the coootryside. The New York Times.

Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy

Rose Elizabeth Fitzgerald, born in 1890, was a child of the Boston Irish. Her ancestors came from a country in which. as Roman Catholics, they had been barred by law from voting, holding of-fice, owning land or attending school. So had the forebears of ber bushaod, Jose Patrick Kennedy, whom she married when she was 24. Together they founded an extraordinary political dynasty, comparable only to the Adams family and the Roosevelts - together, because his amhition and anger (he never forgot his snubbing hy Brahmin Boston) was complemented by her commitment to their children. Let one of their sons run for office, and she, and their daughters, were right out there on the hustings with them.

When Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy died on Sunday, it was after a life that many

may admire but few can truly envy. The losses were too great. To study a photograph of Rose and Joe Kennedy and their nine handsome, invariably laughing children is to see a naval aviator killed in a plane crash, a young widow also killed in a plane crash, an assassinated president. an assassinated U.S. senator a grinning girl lobotomized and institu-tionalized when she was only 23. Her life, Rose Kennedy said once, was a

series of "agonies and ecstasies." What she was really like is known only to her children and grandchildren. But there are two things the American people know for certain. The first is that she was profoundly religious. The secood is that she lived her 104 agonizing and ecstatic years with uncommon dignity and grace. - THE NEW YORK TIMES.

By Reiko Hatsumi

TOKYO - Earthquakes to the Japanese are like the sword of Damocles hanging eternally over our heads. In my childhood, we were told it was because Japan was built on a chain of volcanoes. Now we bear of the theory of plate tectonics. Whatever the reahave earthquakes all the

time — big and small, those we can feel and those we cannot. It is as if we are sitting on a piece of land that is perpetually quivering, like a huge pile of Jell-O, or on a firecracker that is ready to burst any time. So we are resigned to catastrophes, hoping to do our best when the time comes.

But evideotly our best is not sufficient, as was made clear by the disaster that hit Hyogo Prefecture in southwestern Japan on Jan. 17. It was early in the morning - as the Japanese say, "luck within a misfortune" - when

suddenly people found themselves thrown out of their beds. houses collapsing over them. Kobe was immediately without

water, electricity or gas. Highways and buildings that we were told were impregnable toppled like clumsily built Lego sets, railways hung in the air.

When the fires broke out, they spread unchecked for lack of fire fighters and water. And a quarter-million citizens whose homes were destroyed were left among the debris, without food, water or bedding in near-freezing temperatures, while the rest of Japan stood

back, seemingly unable to help.
As I watched the scenes of devastation on television, scores of so-called Knowledgeahle People appeared oo the screen to deliver their opinions. (In Japan we have

special breeds of bumans acknowledged by capital letters: Knowledgeable People, Cultured People, Critics, etc.)

To the pointed queries about wby the vaunted indestructibility of roads and buildings proved untrue, no satisfactory answers were given, save that an earthquake of such a magnitude was not expected, especially from directly below the islands, as against somewhere out at sea. We Japanese are a very optimistic people, apparently.

To me, the disaster was oot simply the wrath of nature, it had man-made causes as well.

In the remote past, Japanese cities were not so densely populated. With rivers and canals lined by willows and cherry trees. they were prettier places to live in, and safer. But with industrialization, most of the rivers and canals were filled in to make way for factories, roads and skyscrapers Centralization was never checked - Tokyo's 12 million residents represent one-tenth of the eotire population - for money has become the only standard with

which to measure our values. And now where are the politi-cians who promoted all this? They all seem to be hiding in the Parliament huilding, accusing each oth-

er of being laggard, dehatiog what should be done. Past experience dictates that the outcome will be housing loans to

the refugees and nothing more. So far almost all that the victims have received - food, clothing. money — has come from private sources. The leader of a Swiss rescue team who offered aid almost immediately after the quake complained that it took days to receive an answer. His interview was inexplicably cut short by the govern-

ment-affiliated television octwork. The government seems unable to react promptly to any event not in its long-term industrial plan. What struck me while watching television was the remarkable patience and fortitude of the people. A day and a half after the earthquake, the refugees were camped out on school grounds, in civic ceoters, in the dehris and in their

cars, with almost no food, drink or hedding. Moreover, they had lost their hames. In order to understand what this implies, one prohabiy has to be born in Japan. To build a house in an area where inbs are obtainable, even one that Westerners would call a rabbit hutch. is a lifelong task and, for many, an impossible dream - unless

you inherit one, which does not happen very often nowadays. Some of the refugees have become literally penniless. And yet no one on television seems to be angry or desperate. When they mention their physical discomfort. the victims do so with a smile. almost apologetically.

"We've had half a rice hall each today." said an old man in reply to

Staying Stoic About an Earthquake, Except When Politicians Preen a reporter's question. "What? All day since yesterday?" said the reporter. "Yes," the old man replied with cheerful resignation, "but I am sure belp will come." Another reporter asked a wom-

an living in ber car about ber plans for the future. She answered, like the famous lady from Tara: "Oh, f don't think about it. Tomorrow is another day." On another ch dressed man pointed at a heap of rubble and, with a half-smile and a shrug of his shoulders, remarked,

I had just built it, you know?" Where does this stoicism come from? I think part of the answer lies in the history of the Japanese people. Japan is, of course, a chain of islands surrounded by the sea, from which no escape was possible when the government so decreed, as it did for centuries, People learned to obey and to be

philosophical about it. In 1876, Erwin Balz, a young German doctor who came to Tokyo to teach Western medicine, wrote in his diary about a disaster he had witnessed: "The fire esterday was terrible ... Over 10,000 houses were harned. But I was surprised to see how quiet the people were - no shouts. screams or crying."

Two days later he noted:
"What astonishing people the Japanese are! Only 36 hours after the fire, thousands of cottages are already being built People sit around makeshift fires, smoking and laughing -no

complaining women, no children demanding a bed, no despondent-looking men to be seen. People dn nnt change so much in little more than 100 years.

By the same token, after the March 1945 air raid on Tokyo, I saw endless streams of people trekking out of the city in hurned rags, silent and uncomplaining.

Granted, the wartime brainwashing was very thorough. But still this attitude of mild obeisance to fate, to the authorities. must have been fostered in us throughout centuries.

And thus we followed our leaders into war and thus we emerged from it to Western democracy. May God grant that at least the former part of this history not be repeated.

We should probably fear on that account. As the saying went in 1946 or thereabouts, Two things became strong after the war in Japan - stockings and women." The women who appeared on television this past week seemed to bave even more character than the men. And it is perhaps women who, in the long run, most influence the course of

historic events. This was attested to by a little boy f saw on television, whimpering as his mother led him by the hand, probably to a shelter. The mother stopped for a moment and said irritably to him: "Stop crying." Yoo're a man, aren't you?" The child brushed away his tears and on his face fell that expression of stoicism that we Japanese have fallen back on for centuries.

All of this does not mean that. Japanese patience knows no limits. The people will endure hardship hat perhaps not a government that rules with such blatant disregard for their welfare. After Prime Minister Tomiichi Murayama visited Kobe on Friday, a man interviewed in the rubble remarked that it was "very nice of him to come. I'm sure, hut frankly, we all wish a bag of food had been dropped instead."

The writer, novelist author of "Rain and the Feast of the Stars," contributed this comment to The New York Times.

IN OUR PAGES: 100, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

1895: Print Revolution PARIS — M. H. Mazereau, of

The Figaro, asserts that the world is on the eve of a startling revolution in the printing trade. He has been shown a typesetting machine invented by the Rev. Père Caledoni which will compose fifty thousand letters per hour, a task equal to the labor of thirtysix compositers. The difference in speed lies in the fact that instead of each letter being made to fall separately into the composing stick, entire words can be composed in an instant by the simultaneous application of of the fingers of both hands.

1920: Delay Expires

PARIS — The four days' delay given to the Yugo-Slavs to state definitely whether they accept or refuse the compromise adopted hy the Council of Three as a set-

tlement of the Adriatic problem has expired. The demand of a delay was caused by the fact that Serbians, Croats and Slovenes are somewhat divided over the acceptance of the compromise.

1945: Camp Captured LUZON. Philippines - Camp

O'Donnell, terminus of the death march from Bataan in April 1942, and thereafter the detention center for thousands of American prisoners of war, was captured yesterday morning [Jan. 23] by reconnaissance troops of the 14th Division. No Americans were reported in Camp O'Donnell, as apparently the Japanese long ago had evacuated the prisoners. Immediately after the fall of Bataan the Japaoese sent thousands of Americans on a ten-day forced march to Camp O'Donnell. Some of those who collapsed en route were bayoneted on the spot.

Other Comment

Irresponsible Government

Contrary to popular opinion, efforts to prevent catastrophes in urban areas have proved dramatic failures. Had the [Jan. 17 earthquake struck Tokyo, experts esti-mate the death toll would have reached millions, heightened by large gas and petroleum reserves that would explode throughout the capital. Ignoring such a risk simply because Japan had not experienced any other disasters of this magnitude since 1948 is evidence of irresponsible government. We need to learn from the lessons of this tragedy.

- Nice Motin (Nice).

Feeding Families With Trees Hain is losing the ability to sustain life. Beyond the turbuleot politics, if the cutong of trees doesn't stop the land will not be capable of supporting any population at all, let alooe one that is growing as fast as Hain's. The first time U.S. military forces invaded, in 1915, they entered a forested land ... By the time American troops landed again, last September, the U.S. government was reporting that only 3 percent of the land still had forest cover.

Tree roots are critical for holding topsoil on the ground. But when peasants do not earn enough from their crops to feed their families, the one alternative to starvation is cutting trees, slowly hurn-ing the wood in a hole in the ground and selling the charcoal. There is always a market for charcoal, because it provides 71 percent of Haiti's energy. Yet as the trees are removed, the topsoil washes away, the land deteriorates and ... crops diminish. The farmer hecomes even poor-

er, and so he cuts more charcoal. The Arisude government considers soil erosion and other environmental prohlems to be a high priority. "But for the peasant it is not a priority," says Philippe Mathieu, deputy director for technical affairs at the Agriculture Ministry, "and

that is the problem." Most Haitian farmers work a plot so small that such soil conservation measures as crop rotation are impractical. It is difficult telling a family living off an acre that it should set aside part of its land for trees. Turning a tree into a small pile of charcoal means getting something to eat. It takes a lot of trees to feed a family.

 Mark Kurlansky, writing in the January-February issue of Audubon.



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Weary of Democracy?

By Richard Reeves

OS ANGELES - In a bril-Liant but frightening article in a recent issue of the Los Angeles Times Magazine. a novelist named Steve Enckson begins with this powerful sentence: "America wearies of democracy." He continues:

"America feels at the end of its power, and the result is a hysteria of which we're barely conscious, a hysteria in which democracy appears as a spectacle of impotence and corrup-tion . . We divide between the vast majority of us who out of futility, confusion or indifference — are so disen-gaged from democracy we never vote at all, and those of us who vote not to thoughtfully resolve complicated issues hut

to express our rage
"The truth is that we are the problem with America. The process and politicians, the lobhyists and 'special' interests by which we mean any interest that doeso't pertain to us have reflected us all too perfectly; and we hate them for it.

'From dismal campaign to dismal campaign, we demand 'change' ... From angry election to angry election, we demand that politicians tell us the truth, and then punish those who do. "When they speak of unpleasant realities and tell us

sier ... we dismiss them at the palls or denounce them from the streets. "From political season to political season, we demand our problems be solved and then make ruthlessly clear we expect someone else to pay the price."

things must necessarily get

harder before they get ea-

The Americans Mr. Erickson sees are hypocrites. Worse, they are immature, celebrating a dimwit, Forrest Gump, as the best we can be. Because he is innocent. But we are not

He says: "We have not grown up enough to accept that America has never been innocent at all; it is not possible to call innocent a country where the original residents were systematically wiped out and the new tenants huilt a society in large part on the labor of people who were shipped over in chains from another continent. These orginal sins do not negate America's idealism and romanucism. But that such an idealistic and romantic country was created out nf such profound transgressions is a more complicated paradox

than we can entertain." Mr. Erickson characterizes Democrats and Republicans this way: "One representing incompetence and intellectual bankruptcy, the other bad faith and the iron hand." But he is harsher on Repub-

licans for good reason. Citing Bill Clinton's 43 percent of the vote, calling him "your" president rather than "our." saying he is not "my enmmander in chief. Republicans have deliberately questioned President Clinton's legitimacy - and therefore have added to American weariness hy questioning the legitimacy

of democracy itself. It is a dangerous political game we are playing these days. In Mr. Erickson's words: We have come to act more oppressed by freedom than invigorated by it, more con-cerned with freedom from rather than freedom 10."

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OPINION

Not Everyone Can Plug In To Electronic Democracy

By David S. Broder

WASHINGTON - No clicke is thing we are organized to protect, if more widely believed. nare unchallenged and more mischies ous in its effects than the idea that Washington politicians don't listen to their constituents.

That is why I was delighted to see Time magazine give staff writer Robert Wright seven pages at the front of its issue last week to dehuak the claim that Washington is out of

Washington is hardly out of touch with America; the feedback is frightening.

touch with America, and to analyze the dangers that electronic democracy poses to the constitution's system

of representative government.
Mr. Wright's essay, keyed to a cover photo of Rush Limbaugh and a cartoon of the Capitol building surrounded by computer screens, fax machines, microphones and radios and choked by telephone cords, was particularly important. Populists of all stripes, pushing schemes from electronic town meetings to term limits, have had the debute to themselves, asserting that the national capital "just doesn't get it."

The reality, as Mr. Wright says, is that Washington may be "too plugged in" to the loudest voices back home. The devices for stimulating public denunciations of actions taken, or even contemplated, in the capital are so powerful that politi-cians quake at the thought of the way their words or deeds may be seen. And the feedback mechanisms - the capacity to jam the switchboards and flood the fax machines and mails are so highly developed that it is easy to simulate a wave of public opinion, whether one exists or not.

Much of what Mr. Wright says is an elaboration of the argument made by Jonathan Rauch in his 1994 book "Demosclerosis." Mr. Rauch's thesis is that organized interest groups. spawned most often by passage of programs that minister to their needs, have multiplied to the point that they now clog the arteries of democracy. Demosclerosis is the political equivalent of arteriosclerosis — a symptom

of a potentially fatal problem. Interest groups are not "them"; they are "us." Whether we Americans are senior citizens on Medicare, farmers taking crop subsidies, college students with government-guaranteed loans, welfare recipients or homeowners with our mortgage-interest deductions; we all have someWashington politician thinks

about tampering with it.

Add to that the people who are egged on by the Limbaughs of this world, who phone or fax any time the vigilante-broadcaster spots some-thing untoward developing in Con-gress or at the White House. The resultani pressures on politicians to "do what people want" become all but overwhelming.

Mr. Wright correctly argues that the electronic democracy that is so much praised and practiced today is a far cry from what the founders of the country fashioned in the Consti-tution. "Their ideal," he writes, "was cool deliberation by elected representatives, buffered from the often shifting winds of opinion - inside-the-

Beltway deliberation.
"Madison insisted in the Federalist Papers on the need to 'refine and enlarge the public views by passing them through the medium of a cho-sen body of citizens, whose wisdom may best discern the true interest of their country and whose patriotism and love of justice will be least likely to sacrifice it to temporary or partial consideration." That is, Mr. Wright says, the opposite of a political sys-tem where a simplistic slogan like "hree strikes and out" can become a national mandatory-sentencing law

in a matter of months. A point which deserves equal stress is that, in an electronic democracy, it makes a great deal of difference who is mobilizing opinion. Once that was the work of the political parties, which are broad-based and internally diverse coalitions, representing competing versions of the national interest. Increasingly, that mobilization has fallen into the hands of private interests pursuing very specific and narrow agendas. The health care debate was dominated by such groups last year. In any such struggle among private groups, money will be important, not just in spreading the message but in hiring the people who know bow to engi-

neer quick responses. It is no accident that, in this kind of electronic democracy, payments to the poor are the most vulnerable items in the government budget, while tax cuts for the wealthy command support. There aren't a lot of bucks being spent to make sure the welfare mother's voice is beard.

Those who push the idea of electronic democracy are those who think they will profit from it. It's not all that new; it's just a new chapter in an old struggle. The Washington Post.



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Future NATO Allies

Regarding "Expand NATO Only When ond if the Russions Moke It Necessory" (Opinion, Jan. 18) by Michael E. Brown:

This article seems to be another in a series by those who bave lost the battle on NATO enlargement and now argue for a "wait until it's too late" approach to re-establish-ing historical East-West security links. If Russia today grumbles about expansion of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, would not a menacing Russia of the future react to NATO at its border, and not just with words?

Russia accepts the principle of NATO enlargement; indeed President Boris Yeltsin has even suggested that Russia become a political member of NATO.

All Russia seeks is that this process be transparent and measured. which it will be, that it contribute to overall security, which it will, and that Russia and NATO cooperate as equal partners.

Russia can be further reassured if arms control agreements are adapted as NATO enlarges, Russia's present frontiers are sancuoned, the Organization for Cooperation and Security in Europe is developed into a collective security system (a process already launched at the Budapest summit last month), and the West makes good on its pledges of technical and fi-

nancial assistance. NATO enlarge-ment and NATO-Russian partner-

ship go together. The NATO governments have wisely chosen, so we hope, to bury the legacy of the Cold War. President Bill Clinton stated on Jan. 13 in Cleveland that the expansion of NATO, a defensive alliance, is inevitable. The argument is over, and we should work to ensure that all necessary assistance is provided to future NATO allies instead of thinking of new ways to return to Yalta.

JOHN BORAWSKI, MICHAEL KIRST.

A Right to Parenting

Regarding "Time for Some Vic-torian Ideas" (Opinion, Jon. 17) by Gertrude Himmelforb:

Hoping that the article would fittingly constitute a scathing analysis of America's newest expert on child care, Newt Gingrich, I could not believe my eyes when I read this defense of orphanages. There bave been more criminals bred in "orderly public houses with clean floors and shoes lined up in military formations" than in homes where at least one loving and caring parent - no matter how poor was present.

Should human beings in the United States really have to be degraded as recipients of charity instead of enjoying the right to be fed,

taught and taken care of until they can fend for themselves and contribute to society? The House speaker and bis disciples should be frightened of the armies of broken and furious "graduates" of orpban-ages that will descend upon him and bis, as soon as they are big and strong enough.

THERESA MILLER St. Gallen, Switzerland.

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Treatment of Atrecities Regarding "Aftershocks of Fighting in Ex-Yugoslavia" (Jan. 10):

was somewhat bewildered by this report on counseling for war veterans. Surely those among them who have been perpetrators of atrocities require war crimes trials rather than therapy.

> F. OLIVER. Newlyn, England.

When Cruelty Is Legal

The British Agriculture minister justifies the cruelty involved in exporting calves to be penned in veal crates on the Continent and sheep to abattoirs all over Europe be-cause it is "legal," So was slavery. As experts in opting out of European Union rules, British officials must opt out of this iniquitous

PHILIP GREIG. Swindon, England.

An Old-Fashioned Belief In the Relevance of Faith

By Colman McCarthy

WASHINGTON — Of all the places, worldly and sacred, in which Rose Kennedy spent time, few meant more to her than St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church in Hyannis Port on Cape Cod. A short walk from the large white house

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fronting the Atlantic in which she died on Sunday at 104, St. Francis, like St. Edward's near her vacation home in Palm Beach, was where she centered her unwavering faith in

God's love and mercy.

In the pews of St. Francis, Rose Kennedy prayed the rosary, attended Mass - daily for many years and exposed ber children to the meaning of the sacraments, as she had been so taught in her own Irish Catholic girlhood in Boston.

Throughout her eleven decades, the roles that the political world applauded — the daughter of a congressman and mayor, wife of an ambassador, mother of a president and two senators, grandmother of two congressmen — were, according to her own values, an extension of Godbased convictions, beliefs she em-

braced as "an anchorage of faith." If placed against some of the more noticeable expressions of contemporary religion, ranging from the over-heated dissonance within Catholi-cism to the self-righteousness of some fundamentalists, Rose Kennedy's lifelong faith-commitment could be mistaken for a kind of piety no longer practiced. But the sincerity of her unadorned faith demands respect from even the most entrenched religious skeptic.

Who would dare dismiss these ords of Rose Kennedy, as found in her memoirs about the two vows she made as a schoolgirl: "to make the effort necessary to practice those family virtues suited to my position as daughter, wife, mother, such as kindness, gift of self, abnegation and evenness," and "in diffi-cult moments, to obtain from Our Lady of Sorrows the courage to suffer as she did, standing at the foot of the Cross. Immeasurable suffering came

into the life of the woman who, as

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Joseph P. Kennedy Jr. was the

first to be killed, at age 29 during World War It when his plane exploded over the coast of England in August 1944. Rose Kennedy's grief lasted for months, with no consolation able to ease it until a resurgence of faith took hold:

'As soon as I fully accepted that God had his reasons for taking Joe. began to recover. And my recovery was speeded by all the wise and wonderful letters I received from various priests and nuns I had known over the years."

Rose Kennedy, one of six children and the mother of nine, had the financial security that the wealth of her husband provided. But had it not been there - the maids, cooks, nannies, roomy mansions, ocean liners for trips to Europe — it probably wouldn't have altered her fidelity to God in any way. She can be taken at her word:

'l have come to the conclusion that the most important element in human life is faith. If God were 10 take away all his blessings -bealth, physical fitness, wealth, intelligence - and leave me but one gift, I would ask for faith. For with faith in Him, in His goodness, mercy, love for me, and belief in eternal life, I believe I could suffer the loss of my other gifts and still be happy
— trustful, leaving all to His in-

scrutable Providence. It is not always fair to judge par-ents by the kind of lives their children choose. But the maternal guidance of Rose Kennedy - her insistence on service - can be seen today in the humane politics of Senator Ted Kennedy, the innovative work of Eunice Shriver for the mentally retarded, the creativity of Jean Smith and her program Very Special Arts.

Were Rose Kennedy's children perfect? No. Whose are? But their lives of public service stand out in an age of self-promotion.

At the funeral Mass in Boston on Tuesday, one of the grandchildren read this prayer: "In thanksgiving for our forefathers and foremothers; for those who gave Grandmother life, joy, wisdom, strength, faith; for Irish poets and patriots; for pilgrims and statesmen; for priests and sisters; for all who beld her hand throughout her life in faith, we pray to the Lord."
Rose Kennedy's was a life to be

celebrated, not mourned. The Washington Post.



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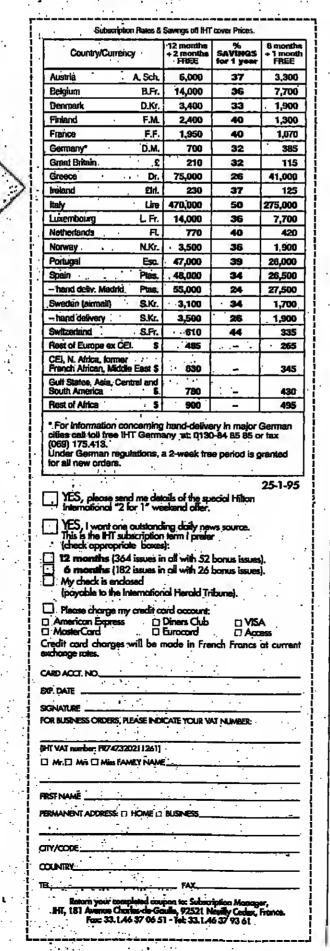
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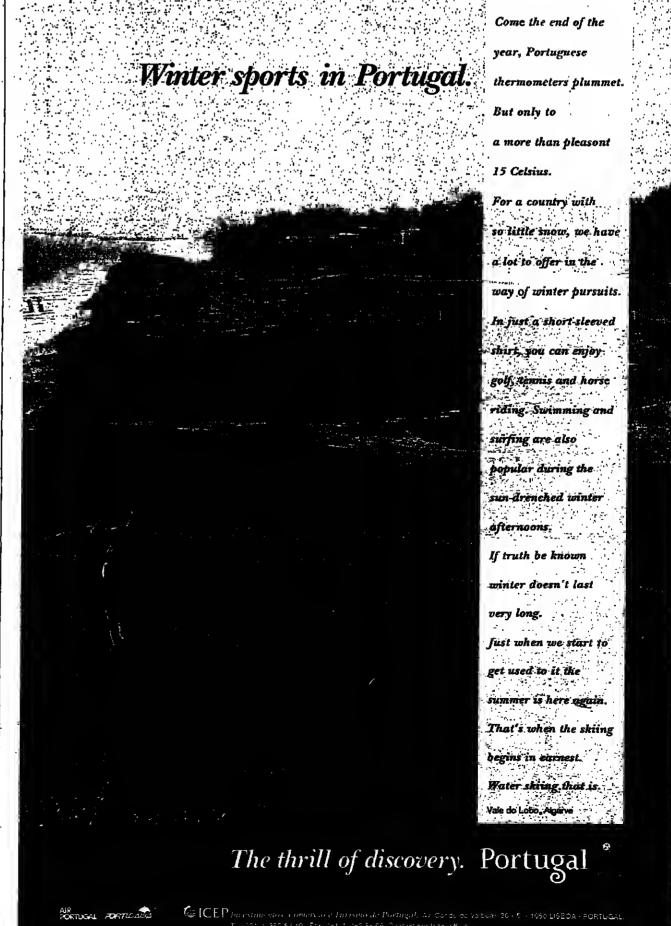
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Tokyo Assumes Bulk of Quake Repair Bill



A mother and daughter passing by the rubble of a two-story house in Kobe on Tuesday.

Wood Is Found in Pillars of Bullet Track which may have weakened Osaka has been restored to ser-

TORYO - Pillars under a section of the builti-train line damaged in last week's earthquake in Kobe contain wood,

Moscow to Charge Hijackers The Isociated Pres-

MOSCOW - Three Iranians extradited from Norway arnved in Moscow on Tuesday to face charges of hijacking an the Jan. 17 quake, which killed veraflot airliner from southern Russia to Norway in 1993,

them, it was reported Tuesday.

The Kvodo news service quoted unidentified sources in the construction sector of the West Japan Railway Co, as saying that four or five pillars appeared to contain lumber and other pieces of wood.

The high-speed train, or shinkansen, lines were damaged at 36 places over a length of about 90 kilometers (55 miles) during

more than 5,000 people. One link between Tokyo and

vice. But repairs along the tracks west of Osaka are expected to take four months.

Construction Ministry officials said they would survey the the huckled pillars, which were apparently found in the Kohe suburh of Nishinomiya.

Motohikn Hakuno, an earthquake engineer, was quoted as saying that the wood would not affect the pillars under normal circumstances, but could cause hreakage under ahnormal

KOBE Japan - The Japanese government declared Kobe a disaster area Tuesday. effectively shouldering most of the cost of rebuilding infra-structure destroyed in the massive earthquake that hit the re-

gion a week before. But opposition members of Parliament denounced the government for its performance in the aftermath of the Jan. 17 quake and called on Prime Minister Tomiichi Murayama to re-

Faced with 307.000 people made homeless by the quake, Tokyo also announced tax breaks and plans for prefabri-cated temporary housing.

One week after the quake, the death toll stood at 5,063, with 68 still missing. Another 26,500 people were injured and more than 56,400 buildings damaged or destroyed.

Electricity has been largely restored, but more than 633,000 households still lack water and nearly 856,000 have no natural gas. The official in charge of restoring Kobe's water supply jumped out of a fourth-story window in an apparent suicide

Monday, police said Tuesday. Still, conditions here have been steadily improving. Banks and most supermarkets have reopened. Gasoline stations and about half the schools are oper-

ating again. By declaring Kobe a disaster area, the government will pay about 90 percent of the costs for rebuilding roads, schools and other infrastructure. Local offi-cials have estimated those costs at 5.84 trillion yen (\$58.7 billion), excluding the costs of restoring gas, power and water.

Survivors can receive low-interest loans to rebuild homes and businesses as well as credits on their 1994 income taxes.

The Health Ministry relaxed restrictions on foreign doctors.
It said volunteer physicians could treat quake victims without Japanese medical licenses,

But those measures did little to stem the tide of criticism of Mr. Murayama and his government over its initial laggard response to the crisis.

"What were you thinking of?" one opposition delegate. Akira Kuroyanagi, shouted at the prime minister in a Parliament session Tuesday. He demanded that Mr. Murayama apologize to the nation "for the

suffering of the people. The prime minister offered

(AP. Reuters)

China Stumbling on Rights, U.S. Says

WASHINGTON - China's human rights situation has worsened since the United States renewed Beijing's trade preferences eight months ago, according to a senior State Department official.

While China has not improved freedoms of speech, association and religion, or its treatment of prisoners, there also have been reports of arbitrary jailings of Asian businessmen due to commercial disputes, said Assistant Secretary of State John H. F. Shattuck, who recently returned from a three-day visit to China.

"What we see is the arhitrary authority of the government which can violate civil and political rights in a human rights context, also can be severely damaging to basic commercial activities.

Mr. Shattuck said.

President Bill Clinton's administra-

tion likely will face criticism for defending its stand on maintaining China's most-favored-nation trade status when its standing comes up for renewal this

Mr. Shattuck said that during his visit he also broached the issue of the "proba-

bly thousands" of political prisoners in China and recent tough sentences for

dissidents. The Clinton administration does not intend to lift the remaining U.S. sanctions on Beijing, imposed after the 1989-

crackdown on pro-democracy demonstrators, Mr. Shattuck said. But lustispring. Mr. Clinton dropped his demand that China make significant progress on human rights in exchange

for the special trade status, which offers Chinese goods low U.S. tariffs.

U.S. Officials Defend North Korea Pact Pyongyang regime had an army of the Senate Foreign Relations Democratic administrations,

WASHINGTON - Senior Clinton administration officials defended the nuclear agreement with North Korea on Tuesday. saying a probable alternative was a war costing billions of dollars and involving hundreds of thousands of U.S. troops.

Defense Secretary William J. Perry said that he rejected the option of a military strike against North Korean nuclear facilities.

"I can tell you flatly that we know how to do that, but on consideration, I did not recommend that course of action to the president." he told a hearing

Muslims Defy

Paris Scarf Ban

PARIS - Almost 400

girls are still wearing Islam-

ic head scarves in French

schools despite a 1994 gov-

ernment han, and schools

have until June to enforce

the ruling. Education Ministry officials said Tuesday.
Education Minister

François Bayrou told prin-

cipals to eradicate "osten-

tatious religious symbols from secular state schools

last September as part of a

crackdown on Muslim fun-

A total of 115 girls have

heen expelled for refusing

to take off their head

scarves, officials said, while

374 girls continue to defy

the han, down from 2.000

in September. Resistance

has been strong in Stras-bourg. Lille and Versailles.

damentalism.

Committee. Mr. Perry and Secretary of State Warren M. Christopher Korea froze work on its nuclear responded to senators concerned about whether North of two nuclear reactors and Korea could be trusted to keep its end of the bargain.

It was the first appearance by both cabinet secretaries since the committee passed to Rcpublican control and the chairmanship of Senator Jesse Helms. Republican of North

Carolina. esis of the State Department during Republican as and for inspection of its nuclear fa-involve a full-scale — full-scale pected from Mr. Helms, a nemduring Republican as well a: cilities. He noted that the —war."

Under the agreement, North

eventual inspections.

In exchange the United States agreed to supply oil to and Japan are promising in finance construction of two light-

water nuclear reactors.

Mr. Perry recalled the tense

million strong. two-thirds of it poised along its border with South Korea.

The defense secretary said he recommended "that we invoke shutting down a third. The sanctions, a robust program of North Koreans also agreed to sanctions on North Korea, to and secondly, we augment our military forces in Korea." The United States has about 37,000

If the North Koreans took military action, said Mr. Perry that would involve the deployperiod when North Korea was defying international demands of U.S. troops, and that would

UN Drops Effort for Rwanda Refugees

Plea for Troops to Police Camps in Zaire Is Turned Aside

By Julia Preston

Washington Post Service
UNITED NATIONS, New York — The United Nations has given up efforts to raise a multinational peacekeeping force to protect 1.2 million Rwandan refugees in camps in Zaire, according to UN officials and diplomats.

Secretary-General Butros Butros Ghali sent out appeals to 60 governments, including the United States, for troops of equipment for the peacekeeping mission. He did not receive a single positive response, UN officials said.

His staff then devised a more limited plan that called for Zuire to provide 2.000 soldiers to be trained and supervised by a few dozen UN officers. But no government was willing to provide troops even for this small corps. UN officials said.

This week. Mr. Butros Ghali will propose a last-ditch olan to the Security Council for the use of 2,000 Zairian troops assisted by a small group of civilian advisers from the UN High Commissioner for Refugees.

Mr. Butros Ghali urged the Security Council in November to dispatch at least 5,000 UN

peacekeepers to set up secure areas within the peacescepers to set up secure areas within the camps to hreak the grip of gunmen from the former Hutu government in Rwanda who trad seized control of the distribution of relief

Many international relief agencies, outraged that their assistance was being used to strengthen the Hutu forces who had unleashed the massacres of Tutsis last year, stopped their work in the

When the killing erupted in April 1994, governments quickly pulled out the 5,500 UN troops stationed in Rwanda and only recently restored the UN force. The United States supported the pullout and was reluctant to redeploy UN peacekeepers until the fighting ended. But the Clinton administration spent \$220 million and sent 2,300 U.S. troops to assist 1,2 million Hutu refugees who rushed into Zaire after the government changed hands.

"Without troops who can break the grip of the killers, the world will just be helping them to prepare the next genocide," said Alain Destexhe, secretary general of Doctors Without Borders, a relief group that has pulled its workers out of two camps in Zaire.





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The Motive Was Jealousy, Simpson Prosecution Says

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LOS ANGELES - In their opening statement, prosecutors in the O.J. Simpson case on Tuesday said that the fornier football star and actor killed his former wife because "he couldn't have her" and murdered her friend because he got in the way.

world, described Mr. Simpson as "a hatterer, a wife-beater, an abuser, a controller" who terrorized his former wife in a 17-year cycle of vio-lence" and finally killed her in a jealous rage.

"The answer to the question is 'ves." Mr. Darden said, "O.J. Simpson murdered Nicole Brown and Ronald Goldman."

The chief prosecutor, Marcia Clark, who shared the opening statement with Mr. Darden. said that on the night of the June 12 murders, Mr. Simpson's whereabouts for more than an hour

Ms. Clark said testimony would show that on that night, Mr. Simpson "was in an ugly mood, morose, depressed and clearly fixated on his

With the prosecution's opening statement, the trial began in earnest in a case that has gripped the public for seven months, ever since the stabbed and slashed bodies of Mrs. Simpson and Deputy District Attorney Christopher Darden, in a court session broadcast live around the Mr. Goldman were found outside her condominium.

Mr. Simpson looked stunned when Mr. Darden spoke about stalking and infimidation. He raised his eyebrows and shook lus head, then took notes on a tablet. At one point, he leaned over and said: "That's a lie."

Mrs. Simpson's mother, Juditha Brown, wept openly. Other family members in the courtroom dabbed at their eyes at times. Mr. Darden acknowledged Mr. Simpson's public image as a football hero, actor, and adver-

down Mr. Simpson's request to address the jury

"We will look behind the public face." Mr. Darden said. "The face you will see and the main that you wil see is the face of a batterer, a wife-knee." reater, an ahuser, a controller.

Mr. Darden described Mr. Simpson as "an extremely controlling, possessive man who dominated Mrs. Simpson in a variety of ways since they met when she was still a teenager.

He controlled her spending and called her "a pig" when she was pregnant, Mr. Darden said. He said that Mr. Simpson "didn't kill her because he didn't love her anymore, because in

"He killed her because he couldn't have her." Mr. Darden said, "and if he couldn't have her, he didn't want anyone else to."

"By killing her, he committed the ultimate act of control," he said. And, he added, "he killed Ron Goldman because he got in the way." Earlier Tuesday, Judge Lance A. Ito turned

The sears would presumably illustrate how old football injuries would have hindered his ability Judge Ito made the ruling with little comment,
ofter Ms. Clark denounced the defense's proposai as "a blutant attempt to impress the jury with

his charisma and star appeal. The defense attorney Gerald Uelmen told Judge Ito that Mr. Simpson wanted to introduce himself and his lawyers and "simply reiterate his

plea of not guilty." He argued that it would "focus the attention of the jury back where it belongs in the midst of all this hoopla — and that is on the defendant."

Mr. Simpson's recently produced exercise vidco. "O.J. Simpson: Minimum Maintenance Fitness for Men," shows him playing basketball, doing acrobics and performing push-ups on a desk. (AP, Reuters)

OUAKE: The Rich Fared Better

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homeless that so many rich peo-ple came through unscathed. The chasm between rich and poor in Japan is narrower than in many societies, and a full 80 percent of Japanese identify themselves as members of the middle class.

Yet, income gaps exist, and they are reflected in the homes people live in. While buildings of all kinds collapsed, by far the greatest number were old traditional Japanese wooden houses with heavy tile roofs.

Poor people, and especially, the elderly, were most likely to live in these old wooden houses. The wealthy were more likely to have built newer homes, and to spend more on better-quality construction. In addition, the affluent tended to have larger rooms and often slept on beds, while poorer people slept on fuions on the floor of tiny rooms. so that a falling wardrobe was almost sure to hit them.

There has been no study comparing incomes with mortality rates in the earthquake, they've got running water there

Japanese daily, did examine the ages of the vicums. It found that more than half were over the age of 60, presumably because they were in more fragile health and also because they

often lived in older homes. in the shelters for victims of the quake, the homeless often speak working-class Japanese and seem to be overwhelmingly less educated and less affluent than the population at targe. While wealthy people were sometimes forced to stay in shelters for the first night or Iwo, they have since fled to other cities to stay in hotels or with

friends and relatives. The rich have good houses. but we're ordinary people," explained Setsuko Kawahigashi, a 54-year-old snack-shop owner living in a shelter in Ashiya. "Lots of the ricb folks had second houses, so they moved into those. And some of the rich have already bought new apartments. I heard of somebody who bought a new apartment on the day after the earthquake. They've already moved in, and but the Yomiuri Shimhun, a and everything.

Missing Pilot and Son Are Rescued in Turkey

The Associated Press

ANKARA -- A U.S. Air Force pilot and his 10-year-old son who disappeared while skiing were found alive Tuesday. surviving nine days in freezing wilderness by holing up in a cave and eating snow

Lieutenani Colonel Michael Ronald Couillard, 37, and his youngest son, Matthew, were ast seen Jan. 15 on a ski lift at the northern Turkish reson of Kartalkaya, 110 kilometers (70 miles) from Ankara, where the officer is assigned,

Complicating the drama was claim, almost immediately discounted by authorities, that the two bad been kidnapped. A caller who said be represented a previously unknown group, the Lebanon Freedom Fighters, said last week that the Americans had been abducted and would be killed unless Israel re-

leased a Shiite Muslim leader

from prison. The chief physician at Bolu state hospital said that both father and son were conscious, but that their feet were swollen

spent eight days in a cave after losing their way in a blizzard. The cave was some five kilome-

ters from the resort. Colonel Couillard went in search of help, walking about a kilometer until be found an unheated cottage in a state-forest-ry camp. After a day in the cottage, the pilot was found by fnrest workers.

African Group Targets Non-Paying Members

ADDIS ABABA - The governing council of the Organiza-tion of African Unity called for sanctions on Tuesday against 28 OAU member states unless \$79 million in back membership dues are paid by June 1. The sanctions would include loss of voting rights.

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CLINTON: A Sense of Humility

Stephanopoulos, was even more blunt. "Everything we talk about now is in danger," he

And the ironic legacy of two years of a renewed commitment to government activism is more public hosulity and doubt than ever about the role of government and whether it serves as an effective force for change. Now, the administration finds itself competing with Republicans to convince voters of its fundamental commitment to cut government and spin off federal authority to the states.

For the administration, the challenge lies in convincing a public more aware of its failures than its accomplishments that the programs it has put in place

are worth saving.
Some officials hold out the hope that the administration, in fighting cuts in its programs, will be able to do what it could not while putting them into place: educate the public about what it has done.

"In defending the gains of the first two years, we may send a clearer message than we did achieving the accomplishments in the first place," Mr. Stephan-

opoulos said, The list of the administration's accomplishments is quite long, at least for the time being.

 After years of growing federal deficits, the Clinton economic package embraced by Congress in 1993 reduced the federal deficit by a projected \$500 hillion over five years. Altogether, the deficit has fallen from the \$290 hillion of 1992 to

\$203 billion for fiscal 1994.

new tax break that returns moncy to 15 million families, while

more in taxes. Two major trade pacts, the North American Free Trade Agreement and the General Agreement on Tariffs and

to civilian use.

The departments of Agri-culture and Housing and Urban On a policy level, the Interior Department's bold bid to re-Development have selected the nation's first "empowerment ing laws was stymied by opposi-zones," making nine economition from Western states. Other igible for millions of dollars in federal grants and tax breaks to stimulate economic activity.

the wealthiest Americans pay

 Years of Republican policy on such issues as abortion rights and gun control have been re-

• At the Pentagon, there has been a dramatic shift away from traditional Republican opposition to "industrial policy," with a new focus on helping defense contractors retool for the post-Cold War world by converting defense technology

in a program designed to belp students who are not college bound obtain the kind of skilled jobs that the administration views as crucial to success in a high-tech world.

beginning to distribute \$9 hil- ter law and overhaul of the Sulion in sederal funding to help perfund law to clean up toxic communities across the country hire 100,000 police officers.

• The Education and Labor departments have joined forces

But those initiatives have weighs all others, the adminisbeen oversbadowed by the ad- tration was forced to give up on ministration's failures, both the effon to which it devoted policy setbacks and the toll most of last year: achieving stressed the fundamental from distractions such as the comprehensive reform of the strength of the Mexican econo- of 1995 economic growth "at 4 • The working poor have a Whitewater investigation, other health-care system.



LAST RESPECTS - Mourners outside St. Stephen's Church in Boston listening to Senator Edward M. Kennedy speaking over loudspeakers at the funeral Tuesday of his mother, Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy, who died on Sunday.

write federal grazing and mincally depressed communities el- parts of the administration's environmental agenda also died in Congress, including revisions to the Clean Water Act, reauthori-• The Justice Department is zation of the safe drinking wawaste sites.

aste sites.

Asked why the president ofAnd, in a defeat that outfered no public words of cau-

allegations of personal wrong-doing and continuing personnel MEXICO: Warnings Signs Couldn't Ward Off Crisis Continued from Page 1

Mexican leadership to econom- percent, which we need to gen-

ic and political reform." ami, the first meeting of nearly But a senior White House ofall Latin American leaders in ficial added: "There was a great almost three decades, to praise deal of sensitivity, as the Zedillo Mexico's economic manageadministration came to office, ment as a model for the region's about not undercutting the very growth. He and his deputies isdelicate situation they faced as sued no warnings that Mexico they tried to form a governwas consuming too much too ment, so there was a very confast, or letting its debt grow ton scious effon not to be too heavy-handed, All these sover-

cignty issues are very sensitive." Mr. Zedillo, an economist, tion, the White House press sec- contributed to the atmosphere retary said, "The president's of unbridled optimism. On public comments have always Nov. 23, just before his inauguration, he talked in Washington my and the commitment of the percent or better, and soon 5

erate a million new jobs a year.' Now be will be lucky if his economy posts any growth this year and if the number of jobs

does not shrink. At the same time, the White House is warning that unless the crisis is resolved, nearly a balf-million Mexicans seeking higher wages will enter the United States. In the aftermath of the Mexican debacle, officials in both

Washington and Mexico are spinning tales of who knew what and when. The CIA, for example, issued brief warning in July that

up the value of the peso.

from frostbite. Mexico was depleting its foreign currency reserves to keep

development across the African continent and to coordinate economic and social policy, the OAU in recent years has been Guner Ozmen, acting chief of forced to cut programs because national security, said that Col- of lack of funds.

TERROR: U.S. to Freeze Assets

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Jebril, leader of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine- General Command, and

Abu Nidal. M. T. Mebdi, chairman of the New York-based National Council on Islamie Affairs, was quoted by The Associated Press as calling the move "cosmetic" and saying that most funds raised in the United States for Arab and Islamic causes in the Middle East went for schools, hospitals and other social

needs. "I would say that not more than 5 to 10 percent is used for military purposes," Mr. Mehdi

The president's order was the culmination of efforts begun last fall after a wave of bombings in Israel attributed to Ha- Front for the Liberation of Palmas, the nationalist Palestinian group vying for authority in the occupied territories with Yasser Arafat's Palestine Liberation

Organization. In his State of the Union address Tuesday night, Mr. Clinton was expected to cite the devastating bomb attack in Israel this week as further evidence of the need to attack the roots of terrorism.

In a speech on Friday, Mr. Christopher laid the groundnouncement. The secretary called on other nations, particunuclear technology. And he declared that economic ties to Tehran abetted Iran's support and Jericho, are not even con-

for terrorism. Israeli experts believe that Iran is supplying tens of millions of dollars to Hamas and from wealthy individuals and some Gulf Arab states.

the White House were listed as Nidal Organization, the Demo-cratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine, the Palestinian Is-lamic Jihad-Shiqaqi faction, the Palestine Liberation Front, Islamic Gama'at, the Popular estine, and the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine-

General Command. organizations and individuals.

Arafat Welcomes Freeze Mr. Arafat praised the U.S. asset freeze, Reuters reported. "I do appreciate this decision," he said in Gaza.

ISRAEL: Calls for 'Separation'

Continued from Page 1

of the Popular Front for the work for the president's an- to come in the West Bank. But curity systems through the eyes il has been a messy parting far. Not only is the couple still larly Russia, China and France, sharing the same house but to avoid helping Iran develop their cobabitation arrange-Palestinians' two rooms, Gaza

> makes separation all the more that further support has come complex. And economically the partners continue to depend on ome Gulf Arab states.
>
> The Arab groups named by each other. Tens of thousands of Palestinians feed their families through low-paying jobs in Hamas, Hezbollah, Jihad, Abu Israel, and many Israeli contractors and farmers have yet to wean themselves from this

> cheap labor. Within hours of the latest bomb attack, the Rabin government followed a familiar pattern and ordered the borders Palestinians at home and frus-General Command. trated. If the past is a guide, the White House also released 35 variants and aliases of sume sooner or later - until the

For their part, Palestinian political leaders say separation would be fine with them if it were based on mutual consider-

shuts the borders as it sees fit, and looks upon fences and seof an occupying force.

Nabil Shaatb, the chief Palestinian negotiator with Israel in ments are also complicated; the peace talks that bave been on hold since Sunday, said in Gaza on Tuesday that separation was acceptable if it came with the The patchwork of Israeli set- creation of a full Palestinian tlements across the West Bank state, something Israel opposes.

So with the couple likely to maintain their painful relationship for a while, attention also turned Tuesday to cracking down on militant Muslim groups in the territories: Hamas and Islamic Holy War, which took responsibility for the bombing on Sunday at a gathering point for Israeli soldiers in central Israel.

Israeli forces raided mosques and offices in several West closed, keeping these working Bank towns, arresting about 60 accused militants, according to Israel Radio. In Hebron, a spokesman for the Palestinian Islamic Society, a clergymen's association, said that soldiers had broken in, seized books and equipment and handed him an order to close the offices for six months. The army called the ation and equality. Instead, society a Hamas-linked group they complain, Israel opens and formenting anti-Israel actions.

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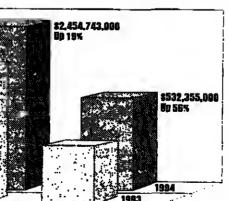
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In the meantime, in Leipzig, where the people marched peacefully five years ago chanting "We are one people," they now tell wry jokes about it.

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ment coalition now has a majority of only 10 seats in the 600-member lower bouse of

In effect, he can govern only with the consent of the Social Democratic opposition, which holds a majority of the seats in the upper house, and the Social Democrats are skeptical about throwing Germany's weight around in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization or the United Nations. Despite a ruling by the German consti-tutional court last summer allowing Ger-

man military participation in NATO and in UN peacekeeping missions, a high-ranking U.S. official said recently, "Germany is not able, at the moment, to play a leading role in reconfiguring the alliance to enable it to respond to the new challenges of the post-Cold War era." The central problem of reunification is clearly demonstrated in the latest official unemployment figures. In what used to be West Germany, the Federal Labor Office

reported, the unemployment rate climbed

to 8.2 percent last month, and in what used to be East Germany, it rose to 13.5 percent. The Labor Office does not calculate a national rate. But the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development in Paris says that unemployment in all of Germany last year averaged 9.6 percent, a

"The reason we keep two sets of books is correctly identified my team," he said. that the two economies are not compara-

GERMANY: Reunification Is Likely to Remain the Major Preoccupation ble," said Eberhard Mann, a spokesman don't want to recognize that we can play for the Labor Office. "We have a developed industrial economy in the West, and

> throes of transition in the East." Life for Eastern Germany's 16 million people today bears no resemblance to what it was before 1989, in part because of a net annual transfer of \$100 billion from the richer West, paying to help retrain work-ers, rebuild decrepit telephone and transportation systems, restructure bankrupt state enterprises, and raise wages and social benefits to Western levels by next year.

"Everything bas changed for the people bere in the East, from the social security system to the tax system, the rent system, the school system, everything you can imagine," said Birgit Breuel, who was the head of the agency in charge of privatizing Eastern Germany's economy, which

wrapped up its operations last month.
"You probably can't imagine bow difficult it is to have everything you were familiar with change overnight," said Jutta Richter, a Leipzig resident. She used to go to the supermarkets and pick up whatever brand of soap happened to be in stock. Now, she says, she bas to figure out which of 10 brands is the best buy.

Her husband. Adi, is a semipro tennis

player well known in the East. "Since re-

unification, not once has any Western Ger-

man magazine spelled my name right or

"I'm convinced it's deliberate - they just

He feels out of place in the posh western neighborhoods of Berlin, green streets lined with expensive villas in Dahlem and a collapsed Communist economy in the

> lice in the old days.
>
> But most of the 64 million people in Western Germany seem to believe that unification did not really mean much change at all for them. The Germans who were rejoicing triumphantly in the streets in 1990 have been sullen and resentful since. Many Western Germans - "Wessis" - resent having to

The eastern part of the city is gray, run-

down, and smells of coal smoke, but it's

more like home to me," he said. And at least there he doesn't have the feeling that

the people looking at him wonder how

closely he collaborated with the secret po-

feel patronized. The diplomats and scholars who know them best have no doubt that the Germans will make unification work. But it will probably take a generation until the Germans in both parts of the country feel that

"We are one people," says the easterner. "Us too," says the other.

editor.

nonviolent.

By Ellen Pall

New York Times Service

ness," he said wistfully from the apartment

in Skopje, Macedonia, where he grew up.
That was a month ago. Last week, sitting

in the bar of the Ringa Royal Hotel in New

York, a discreet gold stud in each ear, Manchevski was, if anything, more ex-

The director, who is 35, had a lot to feel

tired about. Not long ago he was leading a busy but manageable life as a New York-

based director of music videos and com-

mercials. Then he made his first feature

That film, a story of ethnic conflict set in London and Macedonia, has been shown

at festivals in a half-dozen countries over

the last five months. It has won nearly a

score of awards, including the Golden Lion (shared with another film) at the

Venice Film Festival, and in being shown at the Sundance Film Festival, in Park

Although the movie doesn't open in the-

aters in the United States until next

month, it has already made a celebrity of

its director in Macedonia, which chose the

picture as its first-ever entry for the Acade-

my Award for best foreign-language film. (The nominees will be announced Feb. 14.)

film, "Before the Rain.

City, Utah.

EW YORK - Milcho Man-chevski has been tired lately.

Happy, yes. "But so tired it's

sort of wearing off on the happi-

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ERSKINE CALDWELL: The Journey From Tobac-

By Dan B. Miller. 448 pages. not outlasted the coasiderable \$30. Knopf.

Reviewed by Jonathan Yardley

N nearly half a century of writing, from 1931 to 1976, Erskine Caldwell published what Dan B. Miller accurately calls "an enormous body of work: more than 100 short stories, 20 novels and 10 books of nonfiction, including three photo-text collaborations with his wife the Life photographer Mar-garet Bourke-White." Known to purchasers of mass-market paperbacks as "The World's Best-Selling Writer," Caldwell earned that distinction with sales of "a staggering 70 million copies."
Sic transit gloria mundi. Has anyone under the age of 50 the artist to his art, though to be heard of Erskine Caldwell, sure in Caldwell's case "art" is

most overnight, they went from sensation to anachronism. "Possessed by an overwhelming obsession to write," as his first wife put it, Caldwell was in almost all human relationships a monster; his story thus raises once again old questions about

the relevance, or irrelevance, of

than his contemporary and rival, John Steinbeck, Caldwell was strictly a creature of his times, a writer whose work has

sensation it initially caused.

His two most famous novels.

Tobacco Road" and "God's

Little Acre," sold millions of copies and went on to addition-

al popularity in stage and screen adaptations, but they are

mere period pieces today. Nota-

ble in their time for salacious

and earthy content, they had

insufficient literary style or the-

matic depth to survive once that

content had become dated; ai-

erary success, American-style.

questions about the price of lit-

raises old but still-interesting tation as a dirty writer grew, he expected increasingly puritanical behavior in his sons.

Caldwell was a Southern country boy whose deepest early influences seem to have been a negligent mother toward whom he felt resentment and anger and a saint-like father, an itinerant preacher for an eccentric offshoot of the Presbyterian church, to whom he gave unal-

As a human being. Caldwell was cruel, self-centered, dishonest, self-pitying and hypocriti--an expert practitioner of what his first wife's divorce pa-pers called "cruel and abusive treatment." He went through four wives and innumerable love affairs, though "love" doesn't exactly capture it.

He sired children and promptly neglected them. When he did turn his attention to his sons, he beat them "frequently — often savagely — from the time they were very much less read him? Even more an exaggeration. His story also young," and as "his own repu-

If Caldwell was unbappy in his later years, as in fact be seems to have been, one likely reason is that he had become nothing more than a hack. One might think that the long, hard apprenticeship that preceded the appearance of Tobacco Road" in 1932 would have taught Caldwell a few lessons about just how much success really costs, but he didn't learn them. He enjoyed the limelight and he liked the money, and he didn't really mind cranking out the hackwork in order to keep it coming in. This led, inevitably, to his (proper) relegation to a minor niche in the pantheon of minor regional writers.

Jonathan Yardley is on the staff of the Washington Post.

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was not clear. "It could be cleansing, the beginning of something new, or tragic and deadly," he said. "I wanted to capture this sense of something in the air, like before a rain when you sense that pressure inside vour mouth.

On his return to New York, he wrote an outline. Then he left it in his computer. "I Zamira (Labina Mitevska), a desperate was convinced I wasn't going to get funding. I thought it was too personal, too esoteric." Though he thought of it daily, the outline sat in the computer for a year At its core, though, it is the story of Alexandar Kirkov (Rade Serbedzija), a and a half.

Finally, a friend suggested sending it to British Screen, an organization that nurtures new talent by helping to underwrite films unlikely to attract sufficient commercial financing. Simon Perry, British Screen's chief executive, read it, liked its

originality and commissioned a script.
"It was a very topical story, but it wasn't a piece of realism," Perry said, "It was always a piece of poetry." He considered Manchevski's video background a plus. "So many writers come from theater or novels; they're so word-based. Milcho is image-based. He wants to enrich your eye, give you a feast in your ear." Manchevski's completed script was approved within

HOOTING the film, which ulnmately cost \$2.5 million, with financing from several co-producers, was arduous. It was hard just to get to the locations, many of them remote

Macedonia Movie Confronts Balkan Hatreds mountain areas inside Macedonia. Occasionally, the crew had to build its own-roads. Manchevski would sometimes shoot a single scene in places miles apart, then splice the footage together. Kiril's moun-

taintop monastery, for example, is a com-posite of four different monasteries. There were also the practical problems of coordinating a crew and actors from more than a half-dozen countries, among them France, South Africa, Bulgaria and

Macedonia. The project was not made easier by Manchevski's exacting eye. Before beginning to film, he spent weeks at the Louvre, examining paintings and contemplating how to achieve the sometimes primitive, sometimes medieval, sometimes urbanlooks he wanted for his film.

'Milcho doesn't compromise artistically," said Lenny Grodin, who produced many of the music videos Manchevski directed. "He gets wonderful visions, and then he has the ability to translate them onto film." Grodin was first drawn to Manchevski's video work by his ability to blend the contemporary and classical. "He has the classic European eye combined

with a very young, hip edge."
Silvan Furlan, the artistic director of the Slovene Cinematheque in Ljubljana, Slovenia, sees in Manchevski's work a marriage of Eastern Europe and Hollywood — a combination of the European auteur tradition and Hollywood's ability to make movies that speak to a wider audience.

Harvey Milk's Life Turned Into Opera

Milcho Manchevski in New York: From rap videos to a feature movie.

By Edward Rothstein New York Times Service

OUSTON - A giant image of Maria Callas with bright red lips appears several times in "Harvey Milk," which received its premiere at the Houston Grand Opera. She looms over an onstage audience of cheering gay men. In their midst is Harvey Milk, San Francisco's first openly homosexual elected official, who loved opera

and even attended a performance the night before he was assassinated in 1978. So how does he fare on the other side of the proscenium, as the subject of a muchdiscussed, already dehated work that will he shown here through Feb. 5, at the New

York City Opera in the spring and in San Francisco next seasou? To the opera's credit, the answer is not simple. With music by Stewart Wallace and a libretto by Michael Korie, the work is a rambunctious combination of banality

and effective drama, posturing, playfulness and polemics. Long stretches of the score, which is written with a mixture of free atonality. 1980s

eclecticism and ersatz pop, are lyrically awkward and unconvincing but much of the last act is pungent and focused. Saks, making a strong impression), the conducting by Ward Holmquist fervent.

rate onstage events from offstage history.

imaginative, but it was impossible to sepa-Saturday were as much for Harvey Milk as for "Harvey Milk."

mirrored the postwar shifts in homosexual

culture. Each act, unfolding on a single

triangular set, one side lined with closes

doors, portrays a different stage in Milk's

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one relatively unknown singer. Gidon

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Indeed, the cheers of the audience on

The cast was generally excellent (with

Milk was a pioneer figure in gay politics. whose life, meticulously traced by Randy Shilts in "The Mayor of Castro Street,"

The first act alludes to Milk's closeted days as a Wall Street investor and political conservative. Milk croons like Bing Crosby, three outrageously campy lovers do a

> reference to the Holocaust, which for Milk, a Jew, was a touchstone for his evolving view of homosexuality in America.
>
> The second act is a celebration of the hippie Milk on Castro Street, where he opens a camera shop and becomes involved in local politics. Here the music is often

Supremes imitation, and there is much

funky, dominated by a sort of Mardi Gras flavor; it is the least successful in the work. Finally, Milk makes it to City Hall, where in less than a year as a supervisor (a district representative on the City Council) he has enormous impact on legislation

affecting homosexuals and helps advance a iberal political ugenda. It is there that Milk locks horns with Dan White, a fellow supervisor, whose life is stranger than agitprop fiction. White is an ex-policeman and ex-fireman, a Vietnam veteran and a fervid anti-homosexual. He is continually thwarted by Milk and the mayor, and finally pumps several rounds

of bullets into them. HIS plot follows a model that is increasingly common on the opera stage: chronologically present iconic incidents from the life of a

political or pop-culture figure. This is what Philip Glass and with Ga in "Satyagraha." In recent seasons, Frida Kahlo, Rudolph Valentino and Marilyn Monroe have also received the treatment. Such dramas often rely on the hope that the emotional baggage and preconceptions audiences bring to the work will support what is happening on the stage.

That was, to a large extent, true here. "Milk," which may include the first homosexual love soenes ever staged in an opera house, is partly a community event, partly a celebration of homosexuality and partly a political argument staged for the wider



For Chanel, Lagerfeld produced "pearls of caviar," here a gown with

400,000 tine hand-sewn beads.

Chanel: Beauty Without Gimmicks

By Suzy Menkes

"Before the Rain" is not an easy movie

to characterize, or even to follow. Vividly

photographed and told in three parts, its

narrative structure is almost circular, end-

ing where it began, its protagonists include

Kiril (Gregoire Colin), a young Macedo-nian monk who has taken a vow of silence;

ethnic Albanian girl, and Anne (Katrin Cartlidge), a well-heeled English photo

London-based war photographer who re-turns to his native Macedonia to find his

village divided into hostile camps, ethnic

Macedonian against ethnic Albanian. In

in no way a documentary. In fact, as he pointed out, Macedonia — a landlocked

region that is now an independent country

- is the one part of former Yugoslavia where political change has so far been

The film grew out of a trip he made to his homeland in 1991. (Manchevski lives in

New York City, but he has dual citizenship and keeps the Skopje apartment where be

spent his childhood.)
In 1979, when he left Skopje to study

film at Southern Illinois University, Mac-

edonia was still part of Yugoslavia. But in 1991, the region was in transition, and the director was struck by a heavy, pervasive sense of expectation — of what, exactly.

Manchevski emphasizes that his film is

no time, he is forced to take a side.

ational Herald Tribune ARIS - Ring down the red-striped curtain. Lay down the cameras. Send off the dancing girls. E Finita la Commedia! Karl Lagerfeld's show for Chanel Tuesday was gimmick free. No spangled G-strings, Eskimo boots, quilted backpacks or fencing hats. Just clothes. beautiful clothes, fitted so tight with strategic seaming that you would be hard pushed to get a platinum credit card between

flesh and fabric. "A very dressmaker collection," said Lagerfeld of the

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bias-cut dresses whisking into a chiffon tail; the bodices cut in ater curtain with scene changes, an all-black patchwork; the ex- parodied conture's grand past traordinary hand-smocking instead of securing its future. casting dappled shadows on a

chiffon evening coat. "pearls of caviar," referring to fit: witty in its games with black, to the luxury of rarefied terned shoes); and wondrous in couture handwork and to 400,000 tiny hand-sewn beads creating a fishtail dress or used bride came out, in pale pink and with white to make matelot green brocade (think Marie Anstripes on embroidered T-shirt hey, like the feather-light chiffon evening dresses, were quintessentially Chanel.

it was Lagerfeld's misfor-tune and a tragedy for the Cha-nel ateliers, that the "caviar" outfits might have been smeared with fish paste for all that their intricacy could be

seen even from the front row. for clients who understand prints. They fitted as only cou-

on the bias and then pour to the floor. Lagerfeld suggested that for Diana, Princes of Wales,

when she presents a fashion award in New York next week. But would a young wealthy woman want Chanel's daytime silhouette? Yes, for the spar-row-chested jacket belted with a string of pearls. Maybe for a bell-shaped skirt. But the overthe-knee skinny black skirts, shown with natural hose and teetering T-strap shoes looked awkward - even when the models were not fighting with

dangling tails. Lagerfeld knew that he had come to the end of making Chanel couture hip or hot. But the presentation, with befeathered hats, ladylike postures and the-

Emanuel Ungaro sent out the very model of an haute couture He described the show as collection; wise in its focus on the use of different textures of checks (down to dogtooth-patthe meringue lightness of its embroidered skirts. By the time the toinette's boudoir at Versailles), Anouk Aimée was on her feet applauding, beckoning the designer to walk the long runway.

This was a connoisseur's collection - not something to elecuify the audience, but to savor. Apart from the curving bolero jackets that halanced swingy skirts and made day dress credible, there was no hot news. The That of course, is Lagerfeld's curvy suits, or boleros layered idea: couture as a private luxu- over fitted tunic and flared ry to give secret pleasure - the skirts, were in checks or dots, not antithesis of show-off glitz. It is Ungaro's signature clashing

what it takes to make a black ture can, tracing the body so that satin skirt curi around the hips the laced corset-belts or the high-waist cinched skirt that opened the show, seemed hardly

necessary to the bodyline. This new Ungaro may have scooped out a few necklines to display the bosoms, but he put low beels with demure balletlength dresses for evening. Then out twinkled two Sugar Plum fairy tutus, in crème brûlée colors and topped with organza roses. And suddenly all Ungaro's yearning for sweettoothed decoration, denied for day, came out for evening: crusty embroidered lace; bows down the bodice and sleeves of a dress ballooning into a bustle at the back. Bubbles of fabric were blown round the hips. below rightly-fitted bodices, the dresses mixing canary yellow with violet

or red with tangerine. Such gowns may rightly belong to another era, but they were a theatrical demonstration

of artful couture. "We have to think about our future clients," Hubert de Givenchy said delphically back- Such craftsmanship made the

old bridesmaid into his arms the end of a show that might be his swan some.

Will Givenchy retire? He is still not saying, but if the grace ful, summery collection was a clue, he is already cultivating his garden. A herbaceous border of pansies, roses and daisies, or square floral plots, were printed on the full-skirted dresses that were at the heart of the show. Ah, lovely-in-the-afternoon dresses, for ladies who wear languorous straw hats and glide on dainty shoes. But the modern woman's gotta work! So, there. were tailored suits, a bit stern, but lightened with a bare-back

blouse beneath, or salty white collars on navy gabardine. The ovation started as six classical statues stepped down from their plinths at the end of the leaf-decked runway. Each dress was a miracle of handwork, especially the midnight blue column with transparent bodice, the bosoms covered with outstretched wings, each worked in infinitesimal pleats.

LONDON THEATER

The Real Scandal About 'Blasted'

stage, after sweeping the 4-year- classic collection fly.

By Sheridan Morley

International Herald Tribuna ONDON - f do not, as the late Peter Cook would undoubtedly have noted, pay good money at the theater to see babies being eaten, strong men going to the lavatory and somnolent women being raped: I can get all that at home. The problem with any review of Sarah Kane's "Blasted" (Royal Court Upstairs) is that it will merely lengthen the Sloane Square queues.

The real scandal is that it is a truly terrible little play, which starts out lethargically in Leeds and ends up in Bosnia without any indication that the author has thought through how to get from one location to the other. or whether she really has anything worth saying. This would not much matter were "Blasted" being staged commercially, or at the expense of cast and author. There is no case, even here, for censorship, though those who cite "Romans in Britain" or Edward Bood's "Saved" in mitigation might care to remember that those too were truly awful little plays that have rapidly and rightly been consigned to a nonrevivalist scrap heap.

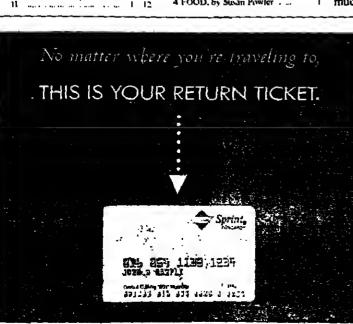
No, the issue here is one of judgment: Stephen Daldry and an entire panel of other dramatists read this play and decided it

merited production. Even if no other new play had been sent in to them in the last decade, they would have been better off not doing this one. Even if they had to revive John Arden or close for the winter, that would surely have been a better option than this sordid little travesty of a play. To shock in the theater is perfectly forgivable, but it is not

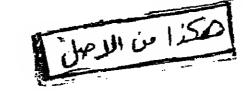
enough. You also have to have

something you want to say.
To the Almeida, in an all-toorare London return from Canada, comes one of our greatest classical actors, John Neville, to co-star with Gemma Jones in The Dance of Death," expertly directed by Bergman's great "Hamlet," the Swedish actor Peter Stormare. In this first challenge to the memory of Olivier at the National 30 years ago. Neville offers a more elegaic, less overtly theatrical Edgar perfectly in keeping with the prevailing marital chill. And at the Bush, there really

is a new dramatist to celebrate: the American Steppenwolf actor Tracy Letts has a play called "Killer Joe" about a family of manically dysfunctional Texans attempting to dispose of their mother in garbage bags under the misapprehension that there could be an insurance payoff. This is a deeply tasteless and wildly funny black comedy that should give a sharp lesson to the Court in how to search out worthwhile new talent instead of random shocks.



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Markets In Asia Waver

Traders Remain Wary, but Some Gains Are Posted

HONG KONG — Most Asian markets ended lower Tuesday, and even modest rebounds in Tokyo and Hong Kong left many traders with a wait-and-see attitude.

Tokyo stocks were firmer after Monday's 5.6 percent slide, with the Nikkei 225 average closing up 275 points, or 1.6 percent, at 18,061.

"It is too early to say that share prices have bottomed out," said Toshiyuki Nishiguehi, general manager at Daiwa Securities. Tuesday's gnins "were due to a technical rebound, and we must wait to see the market conditions for one or two more days," he said.

Brokers said stock indexes were also supported by strength in construction shares as investors anticipated increased demand after the massive eartbquake last week in Japan.

In Hong Kong, the blue-chip Hang Seng Index closed up 0.8 percent, at 7,022.90, in see-saw trading.

"That was just a slight rebound," said Larry Tam, executive director at Sun Hung Kai

Singapore share prices ended more stable, in line with the recoveries in Hong Kong and Tokyo. The key Straits Times Industrials index closed up 2.18 points at 1,919.12 after a 5.5 percent plunge Monday.

The Australian and Thai markets were the only other gainers. In Sydney, the All Ordinaries index closed up 0.2 points, or 0.01 percent, at 1,862.0. In Bangkok, the SET index closed up 2.09 points at 1,103.25

Debt Deal Cuts Euro Disney Loss

PARIS - Euro Disney SCA said Tuesday its first-quarter net loss narrowed to 109 million Freoch francs (\$21 million) from 553 million francs a year earlier, as its restructuring and cost-cutting efforts began to pay off.

The operator of the Disneyland Paris theme park said revenue rose to 854 million francs in the quarter ended Dec. 31 from 828 million francs in the 1993 period.

Euro Disney said attendance at the theme park and occupancy at its hotels rose, but the gains were largely offset by lower hotel rates compared with the year-earlier period.

The results appear to confirm a gradual improvement at the company after two years of disastrous losses that gave rise to predictions the American-style theme park was bound to fail

"The results are quite encouraging," said Rebecca Winnington-Ingram, an analyst at Morgan Stanley & Co. in London. "Operating profit is up, revenues at the theme park are up, the hotels are flat. This is a gradual process."

Shareholders apparently shared that view, sending Euro Disney shares up nearly 5 percent on the Paris Bourse, to

Euro Disney credited a \$14 billion financial restructuring package, reached in June, for the narrowed loss. The deal freed the company from having to pay interest on its 16 billion-frane bank debt for three years. It also froze management and royalty payments to Walt Disney Co., which owns 40 percent of Euro Disney, for five years.

In an attempt to further raise attendance at the park, the company has reduced restaurant prices by 18 percent to 20 percent, cut hotel prices by about 13 percent and lowered entrance fees by 20 percent through April.

The company said it would publish attendance figures with its first-half results. (Reuters, Bloomberg, APr (Reuters, Bloomberg, AP)

Toshiba Disk Wins Fans

Philips and Sony Say Standard Is Needed

EINDHOVEN. Netherlands - With consumer electronics and entertainment companies lin-support for their different designs. At stake are ing up behind Toshiba Corp. 's standard for digi-tal video disks, Philips Electrooics NV and Sony Corp. Bases a territorical state of the state of development and billions of dollars in future patent royalties.

Corp. gave a tentative sign Tuesday that they might abandon their competing system.

Philips and Sony said it would be best to have a single global standard for the disks, which will hold movies and other entertainment, similar to

"The two companies emphasize the advan-tages of one single format and are positive that they can contribute to such a format," Philips

The companies, which are credited with jointly developing the compact disk system used for musie, made their statement after Matsushita Electric Industrial Co. joined Toshiba's camp on Tuesday, as did the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer movie studio. Other companies that back the Toshiba standard are Hitachi Ltd., Thomson Consumer Electronics SA, Time Warner Inc., Pioneer Electronics Ltd. and, Thomson said from Paris, Victor Co. of Japan and possibly Walt Disney Co.

Matsushita's joining of the Toshiba camp was seen as a major blow to Sony and Philips. Still, those companies did not abandon their system. They said they thought their proposal represented "an excellent option for an optical medium with a range of multimedia applications, including con-

sumer video, music, games and data storage."
The product, which the Toshibn alliance bopes to market by the autumn of 1996, will offer a higher-quality sound and picture than a videotape. But the product is not expected to replace videotape because it cannot be recorded upon.

The Sony-Philips group and Toshiba have battled behind the scenes for months to win

Electronics manufacturers and Hollywood producers formed a committee in 1993 to forge an agreement on a video CD, hoping to prevent a format war of the kind that divided the videotape market 15 years ago. Consumers are less likely to buy new technology when the possibility of obsolescence is strong.

In videotape recorders, Sony promoted a for-mat called Beta, while Matsushita touted VHS, which eventually became the standard.

In an unusual development, the video CD battle became public when Sony and Philips announced their design last month in Tokyo.

Video CDs hold about five to six times as much data as the CDs now used for music albums and computer programs. Data on a CD resides in microscopic pits read by a laser or other optical device.

For the video CD, engineers have shrunk the size of these pits and the distance between them. While the Sony-Philips and Toshiba designs vary in the amount of shrinkage to the pits, the most significant difference is whether one or both sides of a disc are used.

Sony-Philips has created a design that uses just one side. Toshiba's uses both. It gets roughly an equal amount of data on a disc balf as thick as the Sony-Philips one.

The decision of Matsushita, the world's largest electronic equipment maker, to go along with the two-sided format is seen as a blow to the Sony-Philips format. (AP, AFX, Bloomberg)

Thyssen and BellSouth Seek German Phone Permit

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches

DUSSELDORF - Thyssen AG and BellSouth Corp. joined Tuesday to become the third international group bidding to be granted a telephone license when the German market is opened to competition in 1998.

As Germany opens up its telecommunications market, Europe's largest, the government will begin licensing Deutsche Telekom AG competitors for alternative services. The European Union has mandated an end to national telecommunications monopolies.

Thyssen and BellSouth, which already have a joint venture in German mobile telephones, face competition from British Telecommunications PLC and

Ltd. of Canada and Daimler-Benz AG.

could be a 100 billion Deutsche mark (\$66 billion) annual market in telecommunications by 2001, according to Deutsche Bank Research AG.

Thyssen, a steelmaker that has already diversified to reduce exposure to ing a second network in the Nethering to other companies interested in the cyclical nature of its industry, said a lands. telephone license and cost-cutting could

VIAG AG as well as Northern Telecom add 750 million DM to its annual profit, will be led by Thyssen Telecom AG, a lid of Canada and Daimier-Benz AG, virtually doubling it, by 2000, subsidiary of Thyssen Handelsunion AG virtually doubling it, by 2000.

The Thyssen-BellSouth joint venture

Ltd. of Canada and Daimler-Benz AG.
Other potential rivals are VEBA AG, a
German utility company; RWE AG, an
energy concern, and the Amadeus Data
Processing GmbH airline reservation system, which said Tuesday it was negotiating with Cable & Wireless PLC of Britain in worldwide telecommunications.
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The strength of Thyssen Handelsunion AG and Thyssen's fastest-growing company.

Thyssen would not say bow much it planned to invest in the telephone bid, but it said it would put 3 billion DM to 4 billion DM into Thyssen Telecom by 2000. Thyssen Telecom, BellSouth and Veba are already partners in a joint venture called E-Plus, which in 1993 won a license to provide Germany's second priburg. "The strength of Thyssen's bid license to provide Germany's second primary be the strength of BellSouth."

BellSouth, based in Atlanta, is building private phone networks in Australia and Chile and belongs to a group buildin Germany and abroad and were talk-

(Bloomberg, AFP, AP, Remers)

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By Deirdre Carmody New York Times Service

EW YORK - In 1970, four black men with no magazine experience published 50,000 copies of the first general-interest magazine aimed at African-American women. They hoped it would provide some jobs, make some money and bring a measure of self-esteem to women who had been virtually ignored by mainstream publishers.

Twenty-five years later. Essence magazine has become the pre-eminent voice for black women. Its circulation passed the 1 million mark last year. And, after years of wooing luxury markets, the magazine now includes Chanel, Giorgio, Cadillac and Estee Lauder among its advertisers

Essence Communications, the magazine's parent, which bad revenue of \$77 million last year, also licenses eyeglasses, hosiery and fabric patterns under the Essence name. It publishes a mail-order catalogue for black consumers and is considering starting up other publications, including a magazine for Hispanic women.

Essence has built a kind of cult following, not only within the black community but also among people who deal with problems faced

by African-American women.

Sarah Buel, a white, adjunct professor at Boston College Law School where she teaches a course titled "Domestic Violence and the Law," tells students and audiences in her frequent lectures around the country that they should subscribe to Essence.

I find whites are very bungry for information about what is really going on in commu-nities of color," Miss Buel said. "There are tremendous stereotypes that even my colleagues make about African-American women. Essence talks about issues in a way that would help white judges, police officers and prosecutors.

These kinds of articles have included "Facing AIDS," a frank first-person account of living with acquired immune deliciency syndrome; "Love With a White Woman," about interracial marriage; "Sickle-Cell and Your Child," about an inherited blood disorder that primarily affects blacks; and a column on the subject of blacks and IQ tests.

A large part of Essence's success can be attributed to Susan L. Taylor, who has been

editor-in-chief since 1981 and has given the magazine its inspirational tone.

Miss Taylor writes a monthly column, "In the Spirit," urging black women to celebrate their accomplishments and never to lose heart.

A collection of her essays under the same title has been published in hardback by Amistad Press and in paperback by Harper Perennial.

Essence readers have a median household income of \$28,000 and a median age of 35. But Miss Taylor said she did not edit the magazine with demographics in mind.

"No matter what social economic or political and the magazine with demographics in mind."

"No matter what social, economie or political differences we might bave, all black women are cut from the same cultural cloth," she

Two of the founders still run the magazine: Edward Lewis, publisher and chief executive, and Clarence O. Smith, president. Mr. Lewis says the magazine has been profitable since its sixth year. The parent company, which is run by an eight-person board, is privately held.

Mr. Smith said he wanted to position Essence Communications as an overall communications company, rather than one that publishes only for the African-American market.

AT&T Posts Best Results Since 1984

Compiled by Our Stoff From Dispatches NEW YORK - AT&T Corp. said Tuesday its fourthquarter profit rose 73 percent and that it was posting its best annual earnings since it was required to get rid of its local telephone operations in 1984.

The largest U.S. long-distance carrier posted net income of \$1.34 billion, up from \$776 million a year earlier. Revenue rose 11 percent, to \$21.11 billion.

AT&T said it had solid revenue growth in its long-distance and financial services businesses and that its network telecommunications equipment operation had its best quarter ever.

Long-distance revenue rose 5.4 percent for the quarter as calling volume increased 9 per-cent, the company said.

The company did not provide estimates of its market share, but Dick Gray, a spokesman, said it appeared that AT&T's share of the long-distance mar-ket had stabilized. The latest government estimate was that AT&T had about 59 percent of the long distance market.

MCI Communications Corp. has about 20 percent of the

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Interest Rate Jitters Hold Stocks Back

isned mixed Tuesday as prospects for the Federal Reserve President Bill Clinton's State of board to raise interest rates the Union address Tuesday next week overshadowed signs of stability in overseas markets.

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at 3,862.70, but advancing is-

U.S. Stocks

sues led decliners by a 4-to-3 ratio on the New York Stock Exchange.

While strong corporate profits underpinned the market, many investors fear that earnings could be clipped in the future because of rising interest rates.

The Federal Reserve's poli-cy-making Open Market Committee is set to meet Tuesday. and the central bank is widely expected to raise rates. The price of the benchmark

al 95 5/32, down 6/32 point, for a yield of 7.92 percent, up from 7.90 percent Monday. The pendulum bas swung back and forth on the rate hike question," said Ricky Harring. ton, vice president at Interstate/Johnson Lane. "That's

putting a cap on any rally po-Teléfonos de México's Amer-

NEW YORK — Stocks fin- % to 35% in active trading as investors took positions before night. Mr. Clinton might use the forum to drum up support The Dow Jones industrial av- for a proposed \$40 billion loanerage closed 4.71 points lower, guarantee package for Mexico. analysts said.

Chrysler fell % to 46% after the company said the U.S. auto industry could be pushed into recession if the Fed raises interesi rates again.

Intel climbed 1 % to 71 1/2 after an analyst at Lehman Brothers Inc. repeated a buy recommendation, citing expectations for increased market sbare and steadier profit margins.

Tellabs soared 3 to 54% after the maker of voice and data networking products released better-than-expected fourthquarter earnings.

30-year Treasury bond finished Cima Labs plunged 3¼ to 6½ after the developer of drug-delivery methods said it expected its 1995 loss to exceed analysts' estimates. The company cited plans by Pfizer to delay selling over-the-counter drugs using Cima's Orașoly dosage technology until 1996, instead of this autumn, as previously planned. (Bloomberg, AP)

Japan's Trade Surplus Gives a Boost to Yen

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches slipped Tuesday against the yen and other major currencies after a Japanese government report showed the country's trade surplus with the United States swelled to record levels last

The dollar closed at 99.750 ven, down from 99.805 yen

Foreign Exchange

Monday, and 1.5128 Deutsche marks, down from 1.5145 DM. "People just got a bit too bear-ish on the yen," said Paul Lambert, an economist with UBS Phillips & Drew, "People have

now revised their expectations." The U.S. currency nevertheless was able to reclaim some ground lost during the day as dealers remained worried about Japan's ability to rebuild after the earthquake last week.

"There were conflicting fac-tors that affected the market." said Tom Hoge, a trader at Bank of New York. He said the

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NEW_YORK — The dollar sure on dollar-yen" until "the market focus went back to the

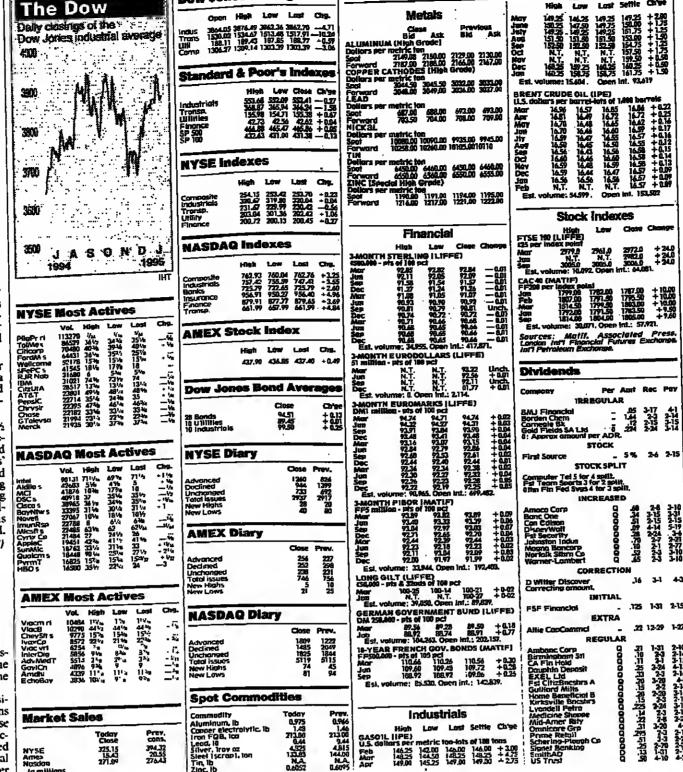
> Some traders were also hesitant to take large positions ahead of the scheduled release Friday of a U.S. economic-growth report that is expected to be considered by the Federal Reserve when it weighs another rate increase next week.

Despite concerns about the earthquake, dealers said, the dollar would probably be unable to gain against the yen as long as the trade imbalance remained large The dollar was also under-

ined in Europe by talk that Spain and Portugal were poised to sell dollars for marks to replenish their reserves. Against other currencies, the dollar closed at 1.2713 Swiss

franes, up from 1,2703 franes Monday, and 5,2340 French francs, down from 5.2425

(Bloomberg, Knight-Ridder)



Swedish Policies Won't Help, Panel Says

powerful industrialists appointed as an advisory taking a tough line on economic policy. group to Prime Minister Ingvar Carlsson said The group, part of an 11-member business

probably not give the growth needed to solve much on increasing taxes, not cutting state economic problems," the eight business leaders expenditure. said in a letter to Mr. Carlsson.

Kopparbergs Bergslags AB and Svenska Cellu-losa Aktiebolaget AB. The letter was widely ing," the group said.

perceived as an embarrassment to Mr. Carlsson. STOCKHOLM - A panel of Sweden's most who has sought to reassure investors that he is

Tuesday that his economic policies were become council appointed by Mr. Carlsson, said economic policy since the Social Democratic Party ing a major risk for country's future.

"In our opinion the government's policies will was elected last September had concentrated too

"In our view, the proposed measures will not The group included the chairmen of Electro- be sufficient either in scope or direction to lux AB, Volvo AB, LM Ericsson AB, Stora achieve the necessary correction in state finances

U.S. FUTURES

British Air Opens Up Saatchi Competition

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches LONDON — British Airways PLC, which recently notified its advertising firm Saatchi & Saatchi Co. that it planned to seek another agency, on Tues-day invited Saatchi's ousted chairman, Maurice Saatchi, to compete with his former com-

pany for the lucrative account. BA invited two other concerns to pitch for its contract, whose value is estimated at £60 million (AFP, AP) (\$95 million).

Earnings Rise at Health Care Firms WHITEHOUSE STATION, New Jersey (Combined Dispatches) — Merck & Co. said Tuesday its fourth-quarter earnings rose nearly 15 percent, to \$773 million, helped by strong sales of new

products and the acquisition of Medco in 1993.

Revenue rose 29 percent, to \$3.87 billion. The purchase of Medco, which negotiates pharmaceutical sales for health insurers. gave Merck direct access to about 55 percent of the U.S. prescrip-

• Johnson & Johnson said it earned \$378 million in the fourth quarter, up from \$335 million a year earlier, as strong sales of new tion drug market. drugs and products made by its surgical instruments unit helped

American Home Products Corp. earned \$399.5 million in the fourth quarter, up from \$382.7 million, as revenue jumped 22 percent, to \$2.59 billion.

The company also said it would cut its work force by 4,000 as it continued to digest its acquisition of American Cyanamid Co., which occurred in November.

World PC Sales Grew 20% Last Year

SAN JOSE, California (Bloomberg) — The worldwide personal computer market grew 20 percent in 1994, driven by a vibrant home market and competitive pricing, according to data compiled by the industry research firm Dataquest Inc.

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Compaq Computer Corp. became the leading seller of PCs.
knocking Apple Computer inc. from the top spot and marking the first time in more than 10 years that a company other than Apple or International Business Machines Corp. had led the world in PC shipments.

Total worldwide PC shipments for the year were 46.5 million. up from 38.8 million in 1993, Dataquest said. The U.S. PC market grew 26 percent, to 18.6 million units.

UAL Swings to 4th-Quarter Profit

CHICAGO (Bloomberg) - UAL Corp. posted its first fourthquarter profit in five years and made money for the full year. fueled by strong demand for air travel and cost savings from an

employee-buyout program, the company said Tuesday.

The parent of United Airlines reported net income of \$11 million, reversing a loss of \$64 million in the 1993 quarter.

Revenue rose 2.7 percent, to \$3.44 billion, as low fares spurred travel, even in a seasonally weak quarter.

For the Record

Martin Marietta Corp. said fourth-quarter profit rose 18 percent as cost-cutting widened the defense contractor's operating margins. Net income rose to \$139.5 million from \$118.7 million in the year-earlier quarter. Sales fell 13 percent, to \$2.78 billion. (Bloomberg)

Chevron Corp. said a strong performance by its chemicals division and higher earnings at its Caltex affiliate helped push fourth-quarter earnings up 77 percent from a year earlier, to \$525 million, on revenue of \$9.25 billion.

(Reuters)

American Brands Inc. said its fourth-quarter profit rose 44 percent, to \$269.1 million, from a year earlier, after taking a pretax charge of \$245 million in the 1994 quarter for the anticipated sale of British product lines.

TRW Inc. said its earnings surged 58 percent to a fourth-quarter record, fueled by increased air-bag sales and higher productivity. The automotive parts maker said net income rose to

AT&T: Profit Is Best in a Decade

Continued from Page 9 market, and Sprint Corp. has

about 10 percent. "AT&T is taking share from

its competitors for the first time since 1984," said Brian Adamik, analyst at Yankee Group.

But the gains were accompanied by a 10 percent increase in expenses, to \$6.42 billion.

Although the results were \$1.24 billion. slightly below many analysts"

25 cents, to \$48.625, in New York Stock Exchange trading. For the year, AT&T carned \$4.71 billion, reversing a loss of \$5.91 billion in 1993.

Separately, Nynex Corp., the regional telephone company serving the Northeast United States, reported a fourth-quarter profit of \$198.3 million, reversing a year-earlier loss of

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Drug-Company Mergers in Vogue

By Milt Freudenheim

NIW YORK — The \$14 billion marriage proposal hy Glaxo PEC to Wellcome PLC may not have been made in pharmaceutical heaven, but it does deaf with a hard reality. Every day, it gets more difficult for the companies to stay

Glazo is a victim of its own success with Zantac, the ulcertreatment muted as the world's best-selling prescrip-tion drug, Meanwhile, Wellcome is only medium-sized in drug industry terms, struggling against grants. But the gether, the British companies provide each other with comdementary strengths in different market categories.

Analysis on Tuesday were already calling Monday's lakerwer proposal a "done deal," disnussing demurrers The analysis said Glaxo might yet sweeten its offer that they priced generic version A U.S. saw little chance of other biddets coming in.

The Glazor offer is the latest in a strong of drug mergers. and it has traders touting overturned on appeal. more takeover candidates.

"It enhanced the takenver price of Upjihn. Warner Lumbert, Schering-Plough you name it. said Neil B. Sweig, an analysi at Ladenherg. Thalmann & Co.

Zantac generated \$3.9 billum. nearly half of Glaxo's \$8.5 hillion in 1994 worldwide sales, and a oigger share of its profit. Yet analysts said the drug's \$2.2 billion in U.S. sales were threatened on several fronts.

The United States' highest patent court is expected to rule soon on a challenge to the Zantac patents by Novopharm hy Wellcome's board, which Ltd. a Canadian company that Glaxo is diminishing the rela-

in 1993, but the chairman of Novemburm, Leslie Dan, said such rulings had often been - Competition Heating Up

But even if Zantac keeps its price-culting from generic versions of SmithKline Beecham's PLC's Tagamer, an ulcer treatment that recently lost its parent protection. Realth maintenance organizations and other managed-care buyers are increasingly turning to the drug

with the lowest price. And the importance of expensive long-term treatments such as Zantae utay also decline after the recent finding that peptic ulcers can often be cured by antibiotics.

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Air Sweig said. And it is buying the No. I drug in the district court upheld the patent antiviral area, in Wellcome's Zovirax, a herpes treatment.

Other developments Tuesday pointed to the health care patent until 2002, as Glavo industry's effort to become predicts, it will still face steep more efficient and responsive becausioners in an increasingly competitive global market.

news agencies reported. In New Delhi, the U.S. pharmaceutical graot Eh Lifty & Co. announced a pair of mint ventures with India's Ranhaxy Laboratories to research, develop and manufacture drugs there for the American market. And in New York, American Home Products Corp. said it planned to eliminate 4.000 positions worldwide in 1995 as it digested the recently acquired

Amenean Cyanamid Co. (AFP, Kunght-Ridder)

Glaxo's Plan Would Slash Costs — and Jobs

LONDON - Glassi PLC's planned takeover of Wellcome PLC could slash annual costs at what would be the world's largest drug company by more than 2500 million (\$795 million) a year - and perhaps twice that,

But the price could be the loss of as many as 20 percent of its jobs as research and development, manufacturing and sales operations are merged or closed down, industry analysts say.

Picking over the details of Monday's £8.9 billion bid, analysts said Tuesday that Glaxo should be able to strip out costs of £600 million to £800 million over

the next four years. Steve Plag of NatWest Markets said

the savings could reach £1 billion. We calculate the cost base will be about £5.7 billion, and there's a possibility they could take up to £1 billion off that," he said, "The only logic to this sort of deal is die ability to cut costs."

Those savings could offset the headache the merged group might face when its two top products -- Glaxo's ulcer drug, Zantac, and Wellcome's herpes treatment. Zovirax — face generic com-petition in the U.S. market in 1997.

Peter Laing of Salomon Brothers Inc. estimated that the presence of cheap versions of both products could reduce revenue hy £1 billion in the year ending June

The question is whether they can offset that loss by cost savings," he said.

"And the answer is that, yes, they proba-

It the merger is approved and completed by June. Mr. Laing expects pretax profit for Glass Wellcome PLC of £2.7 hillion in the year to June 1996, rising to £3.0 billion in 1997 and holding flat in 1998 as generic competition bites.

Goldman Sachs sees pretax profit for the three years of £2.45 billion, £2.63 billion and £2.88 hillion, respectively. Job cuts in the 65.000-strong Glaxo/ Wellcome work force could reach 10,000 to 15,000, analysts say. But this

would represent only a part of the savings Glaxo could achieve. "They can probably take out a maximum of £400 million in lerms of employ-

ee cuts," one analyst said. "The rest will come from other fixed costs.

Sales and Orders Lift Siemens Net

MUNICH - Siemens AG said Tuesday that an improvement in its domestic performance and in sales helped its first-quarter net income rise 8

Profit at Germany's largest electronic and electrical equipment company for the quarter ended Dec. 31 was 448 million Deutsche marks (\$297 million).

Sales rose 7 percent, to 18.5 hillion DM, and new orders increased 4 percent, to 22.2 billion DM. The company said its results

for the period were "hurdened with high restructuring costs," and that almost all the sales growth was in the domestic German market, where sales rose 16 percent, to 8.3 billion DM. Foreign sales rose nearly 1 percent, to 10.2 billion DM.

Orders in Germany rose 5 percent, to 8.6 hillion DM. compared with a 3 percent increase in foreign orders, to 13.6 billion DM.

Positive results bad been expected by the market, but Siemens shares managed to close 4 DM higher, at 645, in Frankfurt trading.

"The favorable economy made it possible in the first three months of the fiscal year to expand business, including doniestic business, for the first time in two years," Siemens said.

Separately, Siemens said it had added nine branches in Asia and the Pacific islands to help

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earnings to continue in 1995.

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Belgian francs (\$256 million). reversing a loss of 6.9 billion francs in 1993.

Solvay, following the general trend in the chemicals industry.

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AB said Tuesday it would sell

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Siemens said it expected sales in the region to grow 50 percent a year in the next three years, to reach more than 100 million

Siemens said a regional office in Singapore would coordinate the activities of offices in Beij-ing, Hong Kong, Jakaria, Kuala Lumpur, Manila, Melbourne, Bangkok and Taipei.

(Bloomberg, AFP) ■ IG Metall Warns of Strike

Germany's largest union, IG Metall, threatened strikes across-Germany next week after employers declined to make a wage offer in talks in three regions, news agencies reported. Second-round talks in the

Kuste regions ended with the employers refusing to make a counteroffer to the union's request for a 6 percent raise. In response, the IG Metall

Hesse. Baden Wurttenberg and

board announced that strikes were planned in major German industries from next week.

Employers have called for lower starting wages and lower pay in some sectors, which they said would be one way to tackle

ling-term joblessness. The thieat of strikes came a day before industry and union leaders and Chancellor Helmut Kohl were due to meet in Bonn to try to secure or create jobs for the 3.6 million unemployed workers in Germany

(Reuters, Bloombery)

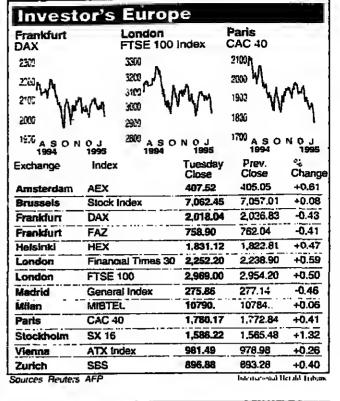
Report Points To Increase In U.K. Rates BRUSSELS - Solvay SA.

Belgium's largest chemicals company, said Tuesday it re-Compiled by Our Staff From Despatche turned to profit in 1994, boost-LONDON - A husiness ed by sharp price mereases for survey released Tuesday plastics and caustic soda, and added to the evidence that expected the improvement in the British economy's growth was fast enough to force the Bank of England The company, which is the to raise interest rates. world's largest producer of soda

The Confederation of British Industry's quarterly industrial trends survey for January showed a big jump in the outlook for export orders, but it also predicted price increases through May would come "at the sharpest rate since January 1990."

The data were "very strong," said Michael Burke, a Citibank economist. "They confirm the underlying strength of the conomy. What will be of will be the 33 percent of firms who want to raise prices. This fits in well with the picture of strong output growth and output price growth." He forecast a rate

hike "in early February. The report initially depressed stock and bonds. but they recovered, aided by a rising pound. (Reuters. Knight Ridder, AFX)



Very briefly:

Fiat SpA, which owns 2.7 percent of the stock of Credito Romagnolo SpA, will accept Credito Italiano SpA's offer of 22,000 lire (\$13.88) a share, according to RAI television. Fiat is the first of Romagnolo's main shareholders to accept the offer.

PolyGram NV said its first film hit, "Four Weddings and a Funeral," had more than 420 million guilders (\$248 million) in gross how-office receipts as of mid-January. In August, PolyGram said that the film, which was made for about 10 million guilders. had receipts exceeding \$100 million.

French consumer spending on manufactured goods fell 0.7 percent in the fourth quarter from the previous quarter, when it was up 1.4 percent from the preceding period.

Germany's car production rose 18 percent in the month of December from the year-earlier month, while production of trucks under 6 tons surged 56 percent.

 Computer Management Group Ltd., the Anglo-Dutch computer consultancy company, said it planned to list between 25 percent and 30 percent of its sbares on the London exchange in April.

Rover Group PLC, which was acquired by Bayerische Motoren Werke AG last year, said stronger export demand had boosted 1994 vehicle sales 11 percent, to 475,000 vehicles, the highest increase since 1989. Reutyrs, Bloomberg, AFX

Prudential Shares Drop 5% After Chief Executive Quits

LONDON - Shares in Prudential Corp. dropped nearly 5 percent Tuesday, a day after the abrupt departure of Mick Newmarch as chief executive.

Prudential stock was the most actively traded issue on the London Stock Exchange on Tuesday, finishing at 295 pence Mr. Newmarch, who had long been at odds with industry

regulators, said the relationship between the regulators and Pru-dential had become unacceptable. His departure came a few weeks after regulators demanded that

all life insurance agents disclose their commissions, the latest response to evidence that bad advice had been given to pension holders causing them to opt out of occupational and public plans and into personal ones Mr. Newmarch, who has maintained he steered Prudential clear

of the controversy surrounding the pension plans, had already confronted regulators over a proposed inquiry into Prudential's pension sales practices.

In July, a leaked memu showed that he had tried to head off an investigation by regulators into the selling of pensions by the

The worry for Prudential is that the unplanned resignation leaves a gap at its top level at one of the most difficult times in its history. No obvious successor is waiting in the wings, and with regulators on the alert, whoever steps in will face an uphill struggle at a time of falling sales and consumer disillusion with life

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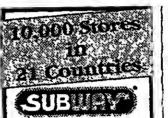
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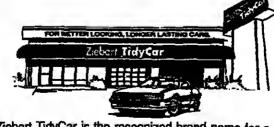
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Japan's Surplus , Grew 0.8% to Set A Record in 1994

TOKYO - Record unbalances with Asia and the United States pushed Japan's trade surplus up 0.5 percent last year, to a new high of \$(23.2 billion, the Figure Ministry said Tuesday, But the surplus was larger in

the first half than in the second and declined in yen terms for the second consecutive year.

The first half of the year and the second half are quite differ-

ent," said Funno Tomori, a ministry otticial. "It appears that the surplus is moving toward shrinkage. The surplus, up from \$120.2 billion in 1993, came despite shower growth in Japan's experis than in its imports. Ex-

ports grew 9.6 percent, to \$395 billion, with slupments to neighboring Asian markets accounting for two-thirds of the increase. Imports increased 14 percent, to 5274 billion, with manufactured goods account-ing for a record 55.3 percent.

Japan's trade surplus with the United States, its higgest trade partner, grew 9.6 percent from 1993, to a record \$54.9 billion, while the imbalance with Asian countries expanded 15.1 percent, to \$61.7 hillion, the fifth consecutive rise.

The imbalance with the European Union narrowed for the second year in a row, shrinking 16.2 percent, to \$22 hillion, Exports to the EU edged up 1.9 percent, to \$57 hillion, and imports from the EU jumped 17.6 percent, to \$35 billion.

In yen terms, the overall surplus shrank 7.1 percent, to 12.4 billion yen (\$124 million), the second consecutive decline, as a result of the stronger Japanese currency.

Analysis say that if imports continue to pour into the country, as many economists predict. Japan's trade surplus may contract in 1995.

But it is still unclear how the carthquake that devastated lead through 1993. (AFP. AP)

the trend in the surplus, analysts said. One theory is that imports to the earthquake-hit region will drop as spending falls and some factories and of-

fices remain idle for weeks. But others say imports will rise as a rebuilding process gets under way. Exports from the region are likely to decline, at least in the short term.

Kobe, Japan's largest container port, is all but closed for international trade but alternalive terminals and shipment routes are being secured for many exports and imports.

The fate of the surplus in dollar terms, the core of bilateral disputes with Japan's trade partners, hinges largely on how the

dollar fluctuates against the yen. "From now on, there may emerge a downtrend even in dollar terms," said an economist at the Bank of Tokyo, "And that's if the exchange rate stays stable, at around the current level of 100 yen to the dollar."

A high yen pushes up the nominal value of lapanese exports in dollar terms. 1.4 FP. Bloomberg, Renterst

■ U.S. Takes Lead in Autos Japan gave up its title as the world's top automobile producer last year, giving the crown back to the United States for the first time since 1979, a Japanese industry association said Tuesday.

news agencies reported. The Japan Automobile Manufacturers Association said Japan's automobile output declined 6 percent in 1994, to 10.5 million units, compared with 12.3 million units produced hy U.S. carmakers.

Output declined for a fourth consecutive year because of a fall in exports and an increase in overseas production in response to the yen's rise.

Japan moved ahead of the United States in vehicle production in 1980 and held the

Traders Ponder Post-Deng Market

HONG KONG -- Fears that economic reforms will crumble and that Asian markets will collapse when China's senior leader Deng Xinoping dies have long east a shadow over the region's

extraordinary growth.

But analysis said Tuesday that the region's long-term prospects depended on a variety of factors.

A recent statement by Mr. Deng's daughter har the 90-year-old architect of China's economic reforms was steadily declining in health has convinced many that the end of the Deng era is near. And while it's a given among many Hong Kong fund managers that confirmation of Mr. Deng's death will send share prices into an immediate free fall, they say the trick is to figure out the

marker's subsequent move.
"There's always going to be a knee-jerk reaction," said Douglas Eu, who manages \$300 ntillion in China and Asian funds for Jardine Fleming Investment Management. "But there's no mag-

ic number for the Hang Seng Index. "It could be 5 percent, it could be 10 percent, but it will definitely fall beenuse people will always be caught off guard by

Kong's benchmark stock index. Benjamin Chen, managing director of

the brokerage concern Barclays de Zoete Wedd's Taiwan office, said: "When Deng dies. Taiwan's stock market will react drastically by falling for several days. But if China does not show instahility afterward, the marker then will return to fundamentals whose strength

will back up a strong rebound."

The conundrum is all about political succession in China and what impact, if any, it will have on the country's social stability and economic policies. Succession is on the minds of Chinese citizens and foreign investors alike, as the new leadership structure will decide the direction and pace of economic reforms that Mr. Deng began in 1979.

"Investors who are negative on the succession should be retreating from the market already," said Pauline Loong, who tracks China for Jardine Fleming Securities Ltd. "Investors who are positive should be positioning themselves accordingly.

Analysts said the current state of the markets made it easier to decide what to do when Mr. Deng died. With stocks

less risk in buying into a Deng-induced selloff than if stocks were reaching new

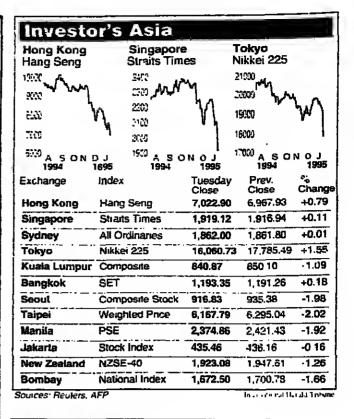
Indeed, the Hang Seng China Enter-prise Index, which tracks the shares of 15 ate-owned Chinese companies traded in Hong Kong, has fallen 37 percent since the beginning of November. The drop has been fueled by concern that government loan restrictions have increased debt levels at many state tirms,

And Hong Kong's benchmark Hang Seng Index of 33 shares has already plunged 14.5 percent this year, battered in part by unconfirmed reports that Mr. Deng had slipped into a coma.

Some fund managers are holding large cash positions of up to 20 percent in their portfolios, ready to buy shares once the initial sell-off they expect on news of Mr. Deng's death has subsided.

Jason Cheung, a China analyst at Mer-rill Lynch (Asia Pacific) Ltd., said of Mr. Deng's eventual death: "Obviously, in the short term, the market could be driven down 1,000 points. But it all depends on the investment horizon. China investors need to think long-term."

(Bloomberg, Reuters)



China Likely to Extend Carmaker Ban

SHANGHAI — China's ban on new foreign automaking enterprises might be extended un-til 1998 or 1999, the official China Daily said Tuesday.

Foreign carmakers had been hoping to get clearance to begin new passenger-car ventures in cle said the han was likely to he

Beijing decided last year to vehicle manufacturing projects ported. through 1995, hoping the move would boost the country's flagging car components industry. In the past, foreign automak-

ers here were essentially importing car kits that Chinese a stipulation that foreign com- making their cars here. ponents would eventually be re-

China now says that has not Mercedes-Benz AG and Volkshappened quickly enough.

have complained that Chinesemade parts do not meet their quality standards.

Deputy Prime Minister Li

Langing said at a conference in Shanghai last week that no pro-1996, but the China Daily arti- jects to assemble cars with large amounts of imported parts would be allowed in China in the near future, the official ban new sedan and light-duty Shanghai Star newspaper re-

Mr. Li said he hoped the move would encourage foreign carmakers to huild components in China instead. He characterized China's car industry as "without order" and said China workers then assembled. When needed to establish its own Beijing and foreign automakers components industry before negotiated contracts, there was foreign carmakers could begin

placed by locally made parts, build its Taurus sedan in China.

wagen AG are two of the com-But foreign auto executives panies vying for permission to make a government-sponsored "people's car" that Chinese leaders hope will bring auto ownership to the masses. But those plans may

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 China's Ministry of Labor required that workers be paid at least 150 percent of their standard wages for overtime, 200 percent for work on weekends and 300 percent for work on holidays.

CRA Ltd. produced record volumes of iron ore and diamonds in 994, which may help offset the adverse effect of the stronger Australian dollar when the company reports earnings next month,

PepsiCo Inc.'s Japanese hranch, Pepsi-Cola Japan, said it would take over a local bottling company, Minami Nihon Inryo KK, terms were not disclosed.

• Japan's leading economic index stood at 70.0 points in November, well above the mark of 50.0 that indicates the line between economic expansion and contraction, the Economic Planning

Thai Firm Protests Positioning of New China Satellite

HONG KONG - The launch of China's second commercial Apstar satellite covery Channel and Hong Kong's TVB. scheduled for Thursday has run into objections from the company that manages

That-satellites. Shinawatra Satellite PLC, which runs Thaicom satellites, has asked that the route of Apstar 2 be moved because it while he too close to two Thatcom Salet-

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Hong Kong to Remain A Hub, Beijing Says

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HONG KONG - Shanghai will not replace Hong Kong as a financial hub after China regains control of the colony in 1997, but the Chinese city may provide more competition, an official report said Tuesday.

The Xinhua news ugency quoted Gao Shangquan, deputy director of the Chinese Society for Research on Restructuring the Economie System, as sayworld financial center will not be replaced." although Shanghai's economy has been growing at a rapid pace.

India Says Reforms Will Aid Poor

NEW DELHI - Prime Minister P.V. Narasimha Rao, responding to criticism that his economic reforms favor the rich, said Tuesday he would strive to rein in prices and improve the lives of the poor.

"We have to ensure that the gains and the pains of the reforms are equally shared," he said in an interview with Press Trust of India. Critics of the government's three-year-old liberalization program have charged that the

reforms, which include subsidy cuts and removal of price controls, have benefited only the affluent and brought no relief for the performance in local elections.

"Economic growth has to be accelerated, and a determined effort has to be made to eradicate poverty," he said. "The rate of inflation has to be controlled and reduced further. These are all things on which I intend to concentrate my attention this year.

Some members of the governing party have called for a return to the era of subsidies and market protection that Mr. Rao and his finance minister, Manmohan Singh, have sought to end

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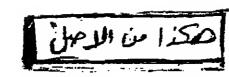
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Chargers' Defense Is Talking Tough

By Samantha Stevenson New York Times Service

FORT LAUDERDALE, Florida -The San Diego Chargers believe they can beat the San Francisco 49ers in the Super Bowl on Sunday night in Miami. Who cares what the rest of the football world thinks.

Stanley Richard is the leader of the San Diego secondary. He's known as the Sheriff of the Posse, and Jerry Rice is on his most wanted list.

"We're going to take Jerry Rice out of the game," Richard boldly predicted. "We can't allow him to do the things he does best -- run free, run inside. We're going to put some jams on him and favor his side. We'll make Steve Young throw to other

In two previous Super Bowls. Rice has been the 49ers' receiver of choice. He has caught 18 passes for 363 yards and 4 touchdowns. When the Chargers faced the 49ers in December, Rice scorched the San Diego secondary for a game-bigh 12 catches and 144 yards during San Francisco's 38-15 victory.

"When the game is on the line, they put the ball into his hands." said Richard. a 27-year-old former No. I draft pick as an All-American at Texas. "Their offense is a game of deception. It makes you get out of position and takes advantage. It gets you to respect the run. Linebackers flow toward the running backs and it opens up for the receivers to catch the ball. That's how it

But how do you slow down a seemingly unstoppable offensive machine? The unenviable job falls on Bill Arnsparger, the 68-

architect of the Miami Dolphins' "No-Name Defense" in the 1970s and the "Killer Bs" of the 1980s. During the road to Super Bowl XXIX, the Chargers' defense has allowed teams to march down the field only to stiffen near the end zone.

Our job is to get the ball and come off the field as soon as possible." Arnsparger said. "Sometimes it might appear like a soft defense, but that's because we aren't playing real well. We're going to blitz six. seven people - play dogs, where there is one man coming and play both man and zone. Each one of those coverages requires certain technique by everyone on the field,

and that's the key. When San Diego hurst out to a 6-0 record, its secondary was ranked 11th in the National Football League. But by the final week of the season it had plunged to 22d. Against the Pittsburgh Steelers in the AFC championship game, Neil O'Donnell, of all people, completed 32 of 54 passes for 349 yards.

It didn't help that Richard and his teammates bad heen criticized during the season by their head coach, Bobby Ross, and their fans for getting beat on long passes, dropping sure interceptions and blowing

"it will be a huge challenge," said Ross. "We have to play well and stop the pass. Keep big plays out of the game, minimize the running yards and the scrambling of Steve Young. They have to tackle everyone and be in the right spot."

They ranked 28th against the pass the previous season and allowed 22 touchdown passes. Only three teams permitted

year-old defensive coordinator. He was the more. Last spring, Bobby Beathard, the Chargers general manager, signed the free agent cornerback Dwayne Harper from the Seattle Seahawks. The bope was that the veteran Harper, known for his work ethic, could stabilize the youthful talent of Richard, left cornerback Darrien Gordon and strong safety Darren Carrington.

"Our guys have to play the team concept," said Willie Shaw, the Chargers' sec-ondary coach, "A fot of teams have great players, but they're loose cannons. Our guys have to work within the unit. It has nothing to do with individuals."

Shaw says the Chargers can't afford to fall behind early to a Young-led attack as they did against the Miami Dolphins, in the first round of the playoffs, or to the

"We can't wait until the second half against him." said Harper.

"It's simple." added Shaw of defending against Young. "We play smart. Stay with the defense. They're going to make the first downs. Don't panic. We can't let him run. We'lf play eight guys up there. When he throws the pass, make sure it's in front of

Richard said: "He's got a quick game. Two, three, step, drop and the ball is gone. He doesn't hold it more than 2, 3 seconds. The defense doesn't bave time to get set up. By the time it sets up, the guy is catching the ball and sprinting up field. It's a big question mark."

Win or lose, Richard is counting on a parade hack in his hometown of Hawkins. Texas, where they have one traffic light. "Look," he said. "It is a bend-don't-



Jerry Rice, right, with teammate Eric Davis: It depends on "the fire inside."

hreak philosophy. A lot of teams have the end zone and bend, but don't break, we gotten yards. We might have bent, but we have a serious chance of winning the footaren't broken. Our attitude will work ball game. If we break, it's not going to against the 49ers. If we keep them out of

Rice: A 3d Title Will Be Enough?

MIAMI — If the 49ers win Super Bowl XXIX, said Jerry Rice, arguably the best receiver in the history of the National Football League, he will consider retring.

Rice, 32, said Monday that he was approaching the game as if it were his last because that's the way he stays motivated and focused. Asked later whether he was contradicting a statement male safety this season that he would consider playing an other five or seven years — his contract runs through 1997 and pays him an aver-age of \$2.6 million — he replied: "I never said I'd like to play five or seven more years. I told you guys that I'd like to take it year by year. If I'm still competitive and the fire is still inside, I'll continue to play.

He added: "When my career is over I would like to hold as many records as possible. It's not going to be easy. You have to have a good group of guys around you to make your job a little easier. Hopefully when it's all over I'll hold every re-

Rice, who will be playing for his third Super Bowl championship, holds only one NFL record; most touchdowns (139). He has a chance at setting marks for most receptions and receiving yards if he plays another three seasons.

"That desire and fire is something you think about," be said. "If it's out, then you bave to walk away from it. A lot of guys have a problem walking away from it. don't think I'll have that problem."

UConn Presses, Syracuse Folds

Second-ranked Connecticui was down, 58-47, with 11:40 left to play against No. 6 Syracuse. Both teams had won 14 straight, both were 7-0 in the Big East, How could Calhoun change

things in one timeout? He told his players to do what they do best: create havoc on jumpers - in a 13-2 run that with pressure defense and at-

tack offensively. They did, and they won, 86-75, Monday night. 'I told them at that timeout that we needed two good minutes of defense." Calhnun said. We never let a guard have a free hand. We made their big pointer was their comen handle it. I knew we would over a 5:41 span.

start scoring, but I told them to do it with singles. It didn't have to be home runs. Our kids left

The Huskies took the lead for good at 67-64 on Doron Sheffer's 3-pointer and the selltheir hearts and guts out on that floor.'

Ray Allen, who had a careerhigh 31 points, scored six -all

COLLEGE HIGHLIGHTS

gave the Huskies a tie at 60 with 8:10 to play, after they had struggled all game against Syracuse's 2-3 zone.

The Orangemen then became the team that couldn't do anything right. Michael Lloyd's 3pointer was their only field goal

out crowd of 8.241 at Gampel Pavilion roared the rest of the

way as the Huskies pulled away. Big East victory, one off the record set by St. John's in 1984-

> "It seemed that when we really came at them after that timeout that they were stunned. said Allen, who given the task of stopping Lawrence Moten. who had made three consecutive 3-pointers as the Orange-

men took the 11-point lead. Moten led Syracuse with 22

The Associated Press

Mark Price, the Cleveland Cavaliers' All-Star guard, will undergo surgery Wednesday to have a screw placed through the day at the Cleveland Clinic. broken navicular bone in his right wrist and will be unable to point contest each of the last ballos each scored 26 points as work coming in the third peri-

for six to eight weeks. The injury, first diagnosed as a sprain, occurred when Price braced himself as he fell backward in a Jan. 14 game at Golden State. He returned to sink a 3-pointer late in overtime of that 103-97 victory but has

missed all five games since. "It takes time for these to show up," Robert Dimeff, a team doctor, said after Monday night's 90-68 victory over the Los Angeles Clippers.

The broken bone at the base lost nine of their last 10 games, of the right thumb was revealed with the only victory coming by a bone scan and a magnetic against the Cavaliers in Los Anresonance imaging exam Mon- geles last Wednesday.

NBA HIGHLIGHTS

two years, but will miss the All-Star Game next month.

The Clippers posted their the second-lowest point total in franchise history. As the Buffalo Braves on Oct. 21, 1972, they lost 91-63 to Milwaukee.

The Clippers got just 10 and 10 in the fourth. They have time in a row.

Broken Wrist to Idle Cavaliers' Star

Lakers 108, Hornets 102:

Los Angeles ended Charlotte's home winning streak at 13. Ceballos had 10 rebounds.

six on offensive, while Van Exel quickly got off four 3-pointers. Jazz 116, Mavericks 111: Karl Malone scored 28 points and John Stockton got 17 assists as host Utah, with an 18-4 run in the final 41/2 minutes. won their ninth straight while points in the second quarter defeating Dallas for the 17th

Rangers Lose The Huskies took the lead for 2d at Home

The Associated Press

After ending last season on such a high note, the York Rangers are having a hard time It was their 13th consecutive getting off the ground in this abhreviated 48-game season.

"We are generating a little offense, but we still need to play smarter offensively as well as

NHL HIGHLIGHTS

defensively." their captain. Mark Messier, said after a 2-1 loss to Boston on Monday night. The defeat was the defending Stanley Cup champions' second in three bome games.

Rookie goaltender Blaine Lacher, in only his third professional game, turned in his second straight strong performance for Boston and Don Sweeney scored the go-ahead goal with 5:25 left.

Lacher, who helped Lake Superior State win two NCAA championships in three years, Price has won the NBA's 3- Nick Van Exel and Cedric Ce- made 29 saves, with his best od. He gave up only a secondperiod goal to Stephane Matteau, when Lacher was screened.

Ducks 5, Oilers 4: Peter Douris scored with 40 seconds left in overtime as Anabeim made its home debut with a dramatic victory over Edmon-

The Ducks' Joe Sacco had scored with 1:34 to go in regula-tion, and 46 seconds after Kirk Malthy's goal gave the Oilers a 4-3 lead.

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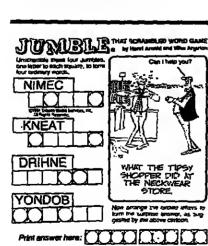
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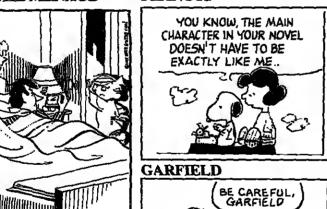
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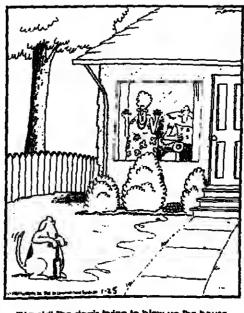
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Sampras Overcomes Courier in Memorable, Emotional and Long Match



Courier, the 6-7 (4-7), 6-7 (3-7), 6-3, 6-4, 6-3 loser, comforted Sampras as they left the court four hours after entering it.

Becker Will Join Stich on Germany's Davis Cup Team

BONN - Boris Becker and Michael Stich, who have squabbled over Davis Cup competition in recent seasons, will team up for Germany next month for the first time

in more than two years. Becker's manager, Axel Meyer-Wolden. said Tuesday the three-time Wimbledon champion had made himself available for the matches with Croatia that start Feb. 3

Becker's first appearance in the competition since September 1992.

The German Tennis Federation later confirmed that Stich would play with Becker, giving the three-time champions a formidable serve-and-volley game on the fast indoor carpet in Karlsruhe.

At one stage of a bitter dispute, Stich, who objected to Becker picking and choosing when he played Davis Cup, said he in Karlsruhe, Germany. It would be would not play if Becker returned.

There had been speculation in the German media that Becker was seeking a contract from the German federation that was equal to or better than the \$3-million, three-year contract it gave Michael Stich last year. But Meyer-Wölden said Becker would be playing the first-round matches

without a contract from the federation, Jared Palmer and Richey Reneberg were named to play doubles for the U.S. team against France next month,

Chang, Martínez and Pierce Also Gain Australian Semifinals

MELBOURNE - Pete Sampras, upset by the illness that hospitalized his coach. Tim Gullikson, and weeping openly on court, hung on for a surring five-set victory over Jim Cnurier in an Austrelian Open match that ended early Wednesday morn-

Sampras won, 6-7 (4-7), 6-7 (3-7), 6-3, 6-4. 6-3, in a contest that both called one of the toughest of their careers.

Sampras will play Michael Chang in the semifinals on Thursday. Chang prevailed. 7-6 (9-7), 7-5, 6-3, over Andrei Medvedev. Conchita Martinez, the women's second seed, beat Lindsay Davenport, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3, to advance to the semifinals against Mary Pierce. The fourth-seeded Pierce beat Natasha Zvereva. 6-1, 6-4.

Sampras began sobbing into his towel during the changeover after winning the first game of the final set. Throwing icewater onto his face in an effort to hide the tears, he was able in compose himself before returning to the court.

A spectator at the beginning of that set had yelled: "Do it for your coach," in reference to Gullikson, who has had two strokes in the past three months. Gullikson had flown back to the United States before the match began, after again becoming ill and having to be hospitalized.

Sampras appeared to have regained his composure after the changeover. But, moments later, he again began crying and, during one service game, blew two aces past Courier between wiping away tears. As Sampras cried, Courier velled across the net: "Are you all right. Pete, we can do

this tomorrow, you know.' During the third game, Sampras's girlfriend, Delaina Mulcahy, called from courtside: "C'mon honey, get in there."

The tournament director, Paul McNamee, preceded Sampras into the postmatch interview room to confirm that it was Gullikson's illness that had upset Sampras. McNamee also asked that Sampras not be questioned on the details.

When Sampras entered, and he was applauded, he again fought back tears and had to leave the room, but returned moments later.

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"Win or lose, I thought it was one of the



Chang had problems with his neck and legs, but defeated Andrei Medvedev.

better matches I've ever taken part in," he said. "I was happy I fought back. I didn't quit and tried to do everything to try and

'We both showed a lot of beart out

there," he added, still distressed Courier, who said he was sullering from severe cramping, said that "I've been in a few good matches, but I realized early on in the second set that something special was happening nut there. We were both not missing very much and all the points

were being fought, "I don't feel bad about the match, I just hysically gave out" It was after I in the morning when the match ended, two minutes short of four

Other Results Tuesday

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Notasha Zvereva (1), Belarus, del, Eupenia Manlakova, Russka, and Lella Meskhi (10), Geurpia, 6-1, 6-3. during their earlier match, but Chang whuld not discuss his injury. "Jim and Pete read papers," he said with

Medvedev hurt his left wrist while lunging for a forehand passing shot that gave Chang a 5-3 lead in the tiebreaker. Moving to his left for the shot, Medvedev slipped

and fell, rolling over on 10 his left wrist. Chang had problems later in the match,

and a trainer treated his upper legs. "It definitely wasn't a cramp, just a little

bit of Ughiness," he said when questioned.

'We'll leave it at that."

Asked which leg, he replied: "We'd bet-ter leave it at that,"

Following Medvedev's injury, Chang said, "I was testing him. I was seeing if any particular shots hurt him. I was looking to see if he had any trouble hitting forehands, any trouble hitting backhands, anything else. He didn't so I figured it must not be too severe."

Martinez, playing with the same determination that won her last year's Wimbledon singles title, moved into her first Australian Open semifinal as Davenport dnuble-faulted on match point and made 50 unforced errors.

"Every time I've played her it's been a problem," said Davenport. "It's tough be-cause I have to be the one to go for it. I know I can't stay out there and raily with

Pierce raced through her first set in just 20 minutes, dropping only the fifth game, then pulled away from 4-4 in the second set after Zvereva briefly rallied from 2-4.

"In the first set I was pretty happy, Pierce said, "I was very aggressive but I got a bit impatient in the second, made a few mistakes and got upset with myself."

She was successful with 84 percent of her first serves, hit 25 winners to just 11 from Zvereva, and won the point 10 of the 12 times she approached the net.

"She was extremely confident, blasting balls everywhere," Zvereva said, "Everything went in. There was a feeling coming across the net from her. She's pumped up. Pierce and Martinez have never played

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Men's Giant Slalom Is Postponed

ADELBODEN, Switzerland (AP) - Heavy rain and warmer temperatures caused new problems with the World Cup ski schedule Tuesday, forcing the postponement of the last giant slalom before the World Alpine Championships.

The giant slalom was to have been the last men's race before the championships. Given that there's not enough snow to practice in Sierra Nevada, Spain, it was regarded as a vital warm-up. An official of the International Ski Federation said the race would have to be rescheduled after the championships, which are to start

"Of course it depends whether the World Championships take place at all, but we believe at this moment it will be possible," the official added. A lack of snow has plagued the Spanish resort, and a decision is expected Thursday.

For the Record

Reebok International Ltd. has offered to sponsor the proposed barnstorming tour of striking major league baseball players; the union's executive board will consider the proposal when it meets

George Foreman's request for a special exemption from the WBA to fight Axel Schulz of Germany rather than the highest available contender will get a hearing Friday, the association said.

Butch Davis, the Dallas Cowboys' defensive coordinator, has been hired as the new football coach of the Miami Hurricanes, a university source said.

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 Shaquille O'Neal, on being escorted to a secluded baccarat room during his first visit to Caesars Palace in Las Vegas last summer: "They welcomed me with big smiles. I thought they liked me. Then I found out it was \$25,000 a hand."

 Robert Parish of the Charlotte Hornets, assessing his career when he played for the Boston Celtics: "For my first 11 years in Boston I was never considered a great center. We won championships. I was an All-Star, but I wasn't any good. Then, in the last three years, all of a sudden I was a Hall of Famer. Go figure."

For reasons of space, Rob Hughes' soccer column, which nurmally runs in Wednesday's editions, will appear in Thursday's IHT.

Bids for 2002 Winter Games Reduced to 4: Salt Lake City, Sion, Ostersund and Quebec

LAUSANNE, Switzerland paign. "But now we go into a - The race for the 2002 Winter phase where IOC members' own Olympics will be between front- views will play a bigger role." runner Salt Lake City and chaland Switzerland.

As expected, Salt Lake City was one of the four finalists selected Tuesday as the Inter- on technical matters; June's vote national Olympic Committee will hinge on the personal preferpared down the field of nine ences of the 96 IOC members. candidates. The three other finalists are Ostersund, Sweden; Quebec, and Sion, Switzerland.

Eliminated were Graz, Austria; Jaca, Spain; Poprad-Tatry. of Canada. It's now the sauce Slovakia; Sochi, Russia, and you're looking for." Tarvisio, Italy.

campaigns before the entire dates and reduce the costs of IOC elects the bost city on June 16 at its session in Budapest.

The consensus decision by the IOC's 10-man selection committee reflected the findings of last month's IOC evaluation report.

Salt Lake City narrowly lost out four years ago to Nagano, Japan, for the 1998 Games.

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The next, and possibly crucess will be visits by IOC members to the four finalists.

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This was the first time the The four finalists now have field was cut before the final five months to pursue their vote, to weed out weak candibidding. But not everyone was happy with the new system.

"The experiment has to be improved in the future," said Alexander Kozlovsky, vice president of the Russian Olympic Committee. "They chose cities with developed infrastructure. For Sochi, this is an Japan, for the 1998 Games.

"You have to acknowledge that Salt Lake City is ahead of us," said Leif Nilsson, general ture, less blind-folded."

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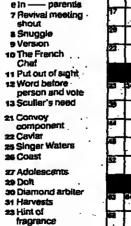
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The Gingrich Agenda

By Russell Baker NEW YORK -- Noot things to do:

1. Get the whole family together around the TV set and

hiss Connie Chung. 2. Write a letter to the editor in praise of orphanages. 3. Write an angry letter to

Charles Dickens for giving orphanages a bad name. 4. Take a trip to the State of Washington and boo ex-Speak-

er Tom Foley.
5. Get half a dozen people to disagree with you about something, then crush them by call-

ing them "elitists." 6. Phone Rupert Murdoch and tell him not to feel bad just because a few mean-spirited soreheads say he's the kind of fellow who'd give \$4.5 million to have a friend in Washington.

7. Do a lot of faxing to get in shape for the incredibly futuristic machinery that will improve the world after one of those coming waves of the future gets

8. Organize a search party to find a liberal, then get a good feeling all over by telling him, "You just don't get it, do you?"

9. Think up a lot of new amendments that will make it

unconstitutional for people to do things they shouldn't, like: (a) busing the family budget

with wild spending on luxury cars, unaffordable real estate, toney colleges, fancy vacations and outrageous credit-card hill-

ings;
(b) leading a life that's offensive to your neighborhood's (c) heing an illegitimate

(d) becoming welfare queens.
10. Help build more prisons by sending the governor a bag of cement, a couple of really neat locks or a rock that's worn out its welcome in the garden hut would be a swell addition to any prison rockpile.

11. Read The Federalist Papers, as per Noot's instructions,

Europe

Oceania

or - better yet - get hold of a friend who's read The Federalist Papers and ask if he'll sum it up in a couple of paragraphs if you buy the beer.

12. Get up a neighborhood petition against socialized gov-ernment. Demand an end to socialized streetlights, socialized storm drains, socialized road paving, socialized traffic signals, socialized police patrols, socialized fire fighting and other such stuff that ought to be privatized.

13. Get up a study group to consider whether privatized courts wouldn't be a whole lot better for the country than all the bureaucratic rigamarole we have now and whether the Constitution allows for privatizing

14. If not, get some good po-lineal philosophers like George Will and Pat Buchanan to push for an amendment to privatize everything from Chief Justice Rehnquist down to the local traffic magistrate.

15. When somebody asks how you expect Noot to halance the federal budget by cutung taxes, crush him by saying. You just don't get it, do you?

16. Show you'te as tough on crime as the next guy by getting somebody with influence to get you a ucket to an execution.

17. Show you've had it up to here with foreigners by firing any illegal immigrants working for you if they start to get surly about taking a pay cut. 18. Elevate the neighbor-

hood's moral tone by preaching that people who don't respect family values ought to be denied welfare and immunization against plague. 19. If one of your neighbors asks, "Does Noot's divorce show a contempt for family val-

ues that disqualifies him for anti-plague serum?" simply explain. "You just don't get it, do

New York Times Service

Nijinsky's Writings: Dancer's Obsessions on Display

By Alan Riding
New York Times Service

PARIS—On Jan. 19, 1919, just hours
before he danced in public for the last time, Vaslav Nijinsky began scrib-

bling furiously in a notebook.

Seven weeks later. Swiss doctors studied four notebooks full of his writings and promptly interned him in a sanitarium for the mentally ill.

Nijinsky was only 29 at the time, and while his fame as the greatest dancer of his time never faded, he lived the last 31 years of his life in seclu-

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sion and incoherence. His notebooks contained his final words addressed to the world. Until now, they have never been made public in a complete form.

France. ln 1936, Nijinsky's Hungarian wife, Romola, authorized an expurgated English translation. In 1953. Editions Gallimard came out with a still more bowdlerized French version. But even after Romola Nijinsky died in 1978.

her daughters, Kyra and Tamara, re-fused to release the full text. Two years ago, Tamara Nijinsky re-lented, persuaded by a French writer. Christian Dumais-Lvowski, who had translated part of the English text and adapted it for the stage. We were on the same wavelength," Miss Nijinsky re-celled "He too manual to show the him called. "He too wanted to show the hu-

just the dancer." Now, with publication of Nijinsky's unexpurgated "Notebooks" in France by Editions Actes Sud, the pain, turmoil and obsessions that accompanied his slide toward insanity can at last be fully measured. Indeed, in his writings, he acknowledged that many people already

man being, the creature of God, and not

considered him to be mad. His expressed intention, though, was for his words to become a book. And hoping to find a publisher, he took his notebooks when he traveled from his temporary home in the Swiss ski resort of St. Moritz to Zurich on March 4, 1919, to see a "nerve doctor." He was never to write again.

The version published here this month, translated from the Russian by Dumais-Lyowski and Galina Pogojeva. comprises three notebooks — the first two called "Life," the third called in St. Moritz. "I am not going to dance "Death" — as well as four letters from while my stomach is full," he wrote. "I among the poems and other writings found in the fourth notebook. An English-language edition of "Notebooks" will be published by Farrar, Straus &

Giroux, probably next year. Much of the text reads like a stream of consciousness dominated by a series of fixations, including Nijinsky's identifica-tion with God and Jesus Christ, his love of humanity, his concern for feelings, his distaste for eating meat his disdain for

money, his wife's curiosity about his writing and his need to confess his sexual habits.

Writing just weeks after the end of World War I, he also repeatedly denounced the British prime minister, Da-vid Lloyd George, as a

warmonger and praised the American president, Woodrow Wilson, and the French president. Georges Clemenceau, as men of peace. "Now Lloyd George wants to go to war in Ireland," he wrote.

Less surprisingly, he poured scorn on Sergei Diaghiley, the Russian impresario who took the 19-year-old Nijinsky as a lover and made him the star of his Ballets

Five years later, when Nijinsky left to marry Romola de Pulszky, Diaghilev threw him out of his dance company and tried to destroy his career. Nijinsky wrote: "I loved him sincerely and, when he told me that the love of women was a

terrible thing, I believed him." Yet in another section, he suggested he felt differently, describing in detail how he would slip away from Diaghilev and roam the streets of Paris looking for young prostitutes.

He also mocked Diaghilev, who by then had adopted Leonide Massine as his new lover, star dancer and choreographer. "Diaghilev dyes his hair not to look old." Nijinsky wrote.

"Diaghilev's hair is white. He buys black paste and rubs it on his hair. I would see it on his pillow, which would be stained black."

Nijinsky made only occasional references to his career, although he started his diary just hours before he was to perform for charity at the Hotel Suspetta fine."

will dance when everything is calm." After the performance, he said he

danced nervously on purpose. "The public doesn't understand artists who are not nervous," he explained. "I was nervous because God wanted to excite the public. People came to amuse themselves. They thought I was dancing to amuse them. I danced terrible things. They were alraid of me because they thought I wanted to kill them."

In her own memoirs, Romola Nijinsky recalled that be danced as if consumed by the war that had just ended.

"He brought to life before our eyes all of buman suffering," she wrote. "He created the impression of floating over a mass of dead bodies. The horrified public seemed stunned with amazement." Nijinsky himself wrote that he knew bow the public would react to the dance he had created. "The public wants to be shocked," he said.

"I know how to shock the public. which is why I am certain of success." Yet just as he caused an uproar in Paris in 1913 with his revolutionary choreography to Stravinsky's "Sacre du Printemps," St. Moritz seemed unprepared for him that night six years later.

Even then, he expected to continue dancing. "They won't put me away in an asylum because I dance very well and I make lots of money for those who want it," he wrote. "People like eccentrics, which is why they leave me alone, saying I am a crazy clown."

As he was preparing to leave for Zurich, he appeared to know his life would change. He wrote that his wife had told him to tell his daughter Kyra, who was 4, that he would never return. And, on the

final page, he wrote: "I will go now . . . I am waiting . . . I don't want to."

Tamara Nijinsky, who came to Paris from her home in Arizona to help publicize "Notebooks," said she understood why her mother censored the 1936 vertion of the hock sion of the book.

"He wrote about politicians who were still remembered," she said, "There were sexually explicit things, and she was probably prudish. Also my father was alive, and she wanted to perpetuate the myth that he was O. K. Even near the end, she would write to us saying he was



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PEOPLE

OFF with his head: Prince Charles has rid himself of his troublesome servant. Ken Stronach, 50, who had worked as Charles's valet for 15 years, has been allowed to resign after admitting "gross misconduct," the prince's lawyers say, Stronach had chatted about his employer to reporters for the News of the World, a Sunday tabloid owned by Rupert Murdoch, which had also printed photos taken by Stronach of Charles's bedroom that featured a bedside picture of Camilla Parker Bowles, the prince's longume mistress. . . . Prince Andrew's estranged wife Sarah, better known as Fergie, is back under the same roof as her husband, but

not for long, according to another Murdoch-owned tabloid. The Sun. An unidentified source said Fergie, accompanied by their daughters, is staying while work is completed on a new home. The friend said that, while the prince hoped for her return. Fergie couldn't face life at court, which she says is so dull that she is "expected to sit around knitting all nav. seems to be a limit to the British public's appedie for the royal family. The satirical play "The Queen and I" is closing at the end of next week.



James Brown: Soulful in Vietnam.

Two Swiss architects have won the commission to turn a disused power station in London into the Tate Gallery of Modern Art. Jacques Herzog and Pierre de Meuron beat five other bidders, including one British group, to turn the stark, brick building into a major gallery at an estimated cost of £100 million (\$160 million).

James Brown plans to bring his funky. sweat-drenched act back to Vietnam. Brown would be the first American soul singer to perform here since the Vietnam. War, when he sang for U.S. troops in what used to be South Vietnam. Brown's concert is scheduled for April in Ho Chi Minh City. . 8

The British playwright John Osborne, the "Angry Young Man" famous for his vitriolic attacks on homosexuals, among others, had a gay lover, the London Evecade-long affair in the '50s with Anthon Creighton, an actor. Osborne, who died last month at 65, had once said: "I have been blessed with God's two greatest gifts - to be born English and heterosexual." Creighton, now 72, said: "I think John was a hypocrite. In his autobiography he outs me with contempt - and without my permission. Yet it was he who had a homosex val affair with me."

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